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War Dep't Pension Office
April 21, 1818.

Sir,

Finding that great impositions are likely to be practised upon the Government (without the possibility of detection,—the original records having been destroyed some years ago) in relation to revolutionary claims to pension under the law of Congress of the 18th of March ultimo; I have the honor to apprise your Excellency that it would be highly desirable for this Department to possess the original, or transcript-pay rolls of the Continental Army belonging to the line of Delaware; together with such other information touching the services of these revolutionary claimants, as your Excellency may suggest, and which perhaps can only be derived from the records of the several Executive officers of the state of Delaware within your control.

With great respect & consideration,
I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your Most obt Servt
J. C. CALHOUN.

His Excellency
The Governor
of Delaware.

(On the back of the paper:)

From the Secretary of War requesting information respecting services rendered by applicants for pensions under the act of Congress of 18 March 1818. 21 April 1818.

Office of the Secretary of State,
Dover Del., 7 Nov. 1818.

Sir.

I am directed by the Governor to reply to the letter, in which you express to him a "desire to possess the original or trans-pay rolls of the continental army belonging to the line of Delaware &c

The following are the only pay rolls of the continental army belonging to the Delaware Line that can be found in the public offices of this State, viz.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| of Captain | John Learmouth's | company | for the years | 1777, 1778, 1779, & 1780 |
| " | James Moore's | " | " | 1777, 1778, & 1779. |
| " | John Patten's | " | " | 1777, 1778, 1779 & 1780 |
| " | Peter Jacquet's | " | " | 1777, 1778, 1779, & 1780 |
| " | John Wilson's | " | " | 1778, 1779, & 1780 |
| " | Enoch Anderson's | " | " | 1776, 1777, 1778, & 1779 |
| " | Rober Kirkwoods | " | " | 1777, 1778, 1779, & 1780 |
| " | Thomas Holland's | " | " | 1777,— |
| " | John Corse's | " | " | for March 1780 |
| " | Cord Hazzard's | " | " | 1777 & 1778. |
| Major | Joseph Vaughan's | " | " | 1778, 1779, & 1780 |
| Lieut. Col. | Charles Pope's | " | " | 1778, 1779, & 1780 |
| Col. | David Hall's | " | " | 1778, 1779, & 1780 |
| Lieut. | Daniel P. Coxe's | " | " | 1778,— |
| " | John Rhode's | " | " | 1778.— |

These pay rolls are generally made for each month in the year, and are therefore very voluminous, altho' none of these extend down to the close of the revolutionary war. The Governor, altho' feeling every disposition to furnish the papers asked for does not think that he should be justified in sending the originals, without the sanction of the legislature: to copy them all will require much time and great labor—and as it is likely that there are but few applicants from this State for pensions under the act of Congress of the 18 March last, of those who served in the Delaware Line, and as it is presumed that those who do apply always state the Company to which they belonged, the Governor has directed me to suggest, whether the object you have in view might not be fully accomplished by your stating the payrolls of the particular companies and for the particular years of which you need copies—and the copies of the pay rolls thus particularly designated shall be immediately transmitted to you.

If however the plan thus suggested should not be satisfactory, on information thereof, copies of all the pay rolls of the Delaware Troops in the regular army of the United States during the revolutionary war, that can be found in this State, shall be made and sent to you.

The Executive Department of the Government of this State will at all times, with great cheerfulness afford to the General Government or any Department thereof, any information it may possess in relation to any subject on which inquiry may be made.

The Honorable
J. C. Calhoun.
Secretary of War,
Washington

I have the honor to be
with great respect,
your mo. ob. sert.
H. M. Ridgely.

In the case of Samuel Oliver, a petitioner for a pension under the act of Congress, of the 18th March 1818 entitled "An Act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States, in the Revolutionary War:"

Office of the Secretary of State—Dover—29th January 1819

I certify that there are not in this office, nor elsewhere, to my knowledge, any *pay rolls* of Captain Nathan Adams' Company which belonged to and formed part of the Delaware Regiment in the service of the United States during the revolutionary war: But there is in this office, and now before me, an original paper purporting to be "A muster roll of Captn Nathan Adams Company & Delaware Regiment of Continental troops commanded by Colonel John Haslet & now in the service of the United Colonies in barracks at Dover the twelfth day of April 1776," from which it appears that a man named Samuel Oliver "was enlisted into the said company on the 12th day of February 1776, and continued therein as a private soldier, and at the time of the date of the said Muster roll said 12 April 1776. This muster roll is the only paper in this office relating to Capn. Nathan Adams Company.

The troops, composing the Delaware Regiment on the Continental establishment, in the service of the United States during the revolutionary war, was more commonly known and distinguished by the name of the "Delaware Blues."

H. M. Ridgely.

Sam. Oliver—Of Capt. Nathan Adams company—certified from the *Muster* roll of Capt. Adams of 12 April 1776.

James Smith—of Capt. Henry Darby's comp—certified from the muster roll of Capt. Darby's comp. of 12 April 1776.

Office of the Secretary of the State of
Delaware.
Dover—1 June 1819.

There are in this office no pay rolls, nor Muster rolls of any company commanded by Captain Paul Queenault. There are however in this office pay rolls of Major Joseph Vaughan's company of foot in the service of the United States on the Continental establishment and which belonged and was attached to the Delaware Regiment commanded by Col. David Hall during the Revolutionary War, from the month of September 1778 inclusive to the month of March 1780 inclusive & also a muster roll of the same company for April 1780, from which it appears that a person of the name of Jacob Furbee was enlisted in the said company on the 20 July 1779 and that he continued to serve as a corporal in the said company from the time of his enlistment aforesaid until and during the month of April 1780. There are no other pay rolls or muster rolls of the said company in my possession.

It further appears from a "Muster roll of the non-commissioned officers drummers and fifers and rank and file of the late Delaware regt. (then) the first company of the second Battalion in Col. Williams Regiment serving in the Southern army of the United States" dated "Hillsborough N Carolina Sept. 1780" and which muster roll is in this office and now before me, that a person of the name of Jacob Furbee then belonged to and was a corporal in the said last mentioned company and that he was serving on the 16th August 1780.

Certified at the request of the U. S. War Department.

H. M. Ridgely.

Since writing the above I have inspected a paper in this office, purporting to be a "muster & size roll of Recruits inlisted by Lt. Paul Quenouault for the Delaware Regiment 1779," from which it appears that on the 20th July 1779 the said Paul Quenouault enlisted for the said Regiment a person named Jacob Furby, who at the time of his enlistment was 20 years of age, five feet nine inches high a farmer by trade, a native of Murderkill Hundred Kent County & State of Delaware and resident there at the time of his enlistment.

H. M. Ridgely

June 1819

[Letter from Wm. B. Cooper to Henry M. Ridgely].

Dear Sir,

Mr. Mitchell Lecatt has this day been with me and informs me that Major Hitchins Belonged to Captn Kirkwoods Company and Jesse Royall to Peter Jacquetts this information will perhaps relieve you from some trouble in searching the pay Rolls &c.

Respectfully your obdt. Srt.
Wm. B. Cooper.
June 23d 1819.

[At the bottom of this letter in the handwriting of Henry M. Ridgely occurs this entry:]

"In the case of Major Hitchins the pay rolls of the following companies have been carefully examined & his name does not appear in any of these viz—Capt. Patten's, Kirkwood's, Learmouth's Wilson's, Hazzard's Col. Hall's, Capt. Anderson's."

War Department
Pension Office
February 28, 1834

Sir.

I herewith enclose to you the papers of Davis Shockley and will thank you to inform me whether his name is found on the rolls of service during the revolutionary war, in your office, and also, if not found, whether you have any rolls of Captain Perry's company.

Captain Perry's company was stationed at Lewistown, Delaware, for the protection of Pilots &c.

Be pleased to return the papers to this Department at as early a period as possible.

I have the honor to be
Very respectfully
Your obt. Servt.
J. L. Edwards.

James Rogers Esqr.
Secretary of State
New Castle
Delaware

On the back of the paper:

From the Comr. of Pensions in relation to the claim of Davis Shockley—

## BATTALION OF DELAWARE WHIGS

Scheme for raising 600 Militia in the Delaware State for the Protection and Defence thereof, to be called the Battalion of Delaware Whigs, and to continue in Service two Months, unless sooner discharged by the Commander in Chief.

300 Non-commissioned Officers and Privates to be raised in New Castle County, and to consist of 6 Companies of 50 Men each, (Viz) 2 Sargeants, 2 corporals. 1 Drummer, 1 fifer, and 44 Privates, and to be commanded each Company by 1 Captain, 1 Lieutenant, and 1 Ensign. 200 Do. in Kent County—and 100 Do in Sussex County, to be officered in the same manner. The Captains in New Castle County appointed to this service are as follows, (viz) James Black, John James, Thomas Wattson, Isaac Lewis; William Moody and William Rankin.

Major General Rodney to appoint the 4 Captains in Kent County, and Brigadier Dagworthy is to appoint the 2 Captains in Sussex. Each of the 12 Captains is to have the Nomination of his own Sub-alterns.

The whole Corps to be commanded by 1 Brigadier General, 1 Lieutenant Colonel and 2 Majors. Names of said Officers, Brigadier Patterson, Lt. Colonel George Craighead, 1st. Major to be named by General Rodney, & 2 Do. by Brigadier Dagworthy—The Staff—Surgeon, Doctor William Patterson, who is to nominate his Mate. Adjutant, Matthew Aiken-Quarter Master, William Clark, Brother to the Sheriff, Commissary, William McClay.

## GENERAL ORDERS for the DELAWARE STATE

The above Scheme is to be carried into Execution with the utmost Expedition; each Company in the respective Counties to furnish their Quota for such County, according to the Numbers in each Company, and if the Levies cannot be procured, any Volunteer from any place whatsoever to be received. Each Man to furnish himself with a musket &c. and a Blanket, and if any Arms or Blankets are wanting, they are to be taken, in the first place, from such persons as the several Captains shall think Disaffected or not well affected to the Independence of the State, and afterwards wherever they can be had—the Intention being in this decent manner to disarm our internal Enemies—All arms & Blankets thus procured to be valued by two judicious Freeholders, and a receipt for the same to be given to the owner mentioning such value; the private to whom such Arms &c. are delivered, is to return the same to his Captain on the Day of his Corps's Discharge, or to pay the appraised Value, for the use of the Owner.—Each Company as soon as it amounts to 40 Non-commissioned Officers and Privates in the County of New Castle, is to march instantly to the place of Rendezvous at the Town of Newark, and from the other Counties, at Middletown in New Castle County. All the rest of the Militia to be discharged, except Captain William Peery's Company in Sussex. If a guard should be desired by the General Assembly at Dover, whilst they sit, or should be thought necessary at any other time, it may be ordered by Majr. General Rodney.—The whole Corps to be paid monthly. All Officers civil and military are requested and directed to be Aiding and assisting in carrying these Orders into Execution, as they will answer the Contrary at their Peril.

From the Example of the States of Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania from which the Militia march'd to join General Washington, (at the time when Genl. Howe and the Army of the Enemy were in New-Castle County) in order to defend the County, it is impossible to suppose that the Inhabitants of the Delaware State can have so little Sense or so little Virtue, had they no regard to Law, as to decline

Marching to any place within the Same for their own Security; especially when the Commander in Chief assures them they shall not be required to go any where out of it.

This Body of Troops must be at the Posts assigned them as a general Rendezvous as soon as possible; and the farthest off before the first day of November next; At these Posts they will receive further Orders.

THOS. McKEAN,
October 14th, 1777.

## A MUSTER ROLL OF CAPT. JOHN BOGGS COMPANY OF MILITIA FROM THE DELAWARE STATE IN THE SECOND BATTALION COMMANDED BY COLONEL COUCH ESQ.

| | Commissioned Officers<br>Capt. John Boggs<br>1st. Lt. George Reynolds<br>Ensign James Kerr | |
|---|---|---|
| Serjeants<br>David Kirkpatrick<br>John Kerr<br>Edward Armstrong<br>James Anderson | | Drummer<br>Charles Anderson<br><br>Fifer |
| Privates<br>Jas. Russel<br>Wm. Russel<br>Robt. Wallace<br>Jas. Musgrove<br>David Moody<br>Timothy Corram, left sick<br>David Kinkead<br>David Nicholson<br>Saml. Woodbridge<br>Patrick McClean<br>Ezekiel Eaton<br>Henry Gam | Jno. Dearmond<br>Simon Nevil<br>Thos. Donaldson<br>Thos. Bradly<br>Jno. McClean<br>James Hamilton<br>Robt. Russel<br>Wm. Ogle<br>Allex Ogle | |

I do Declare on Honour that the Officers & men who Appeard this Day in my Compa are Bonafida Engaged in the Service of the State & receive Pay According to the Rank they hold on this Role Likewise the Time of entring into & Present Service is assertained on the face of this Roll Also Timothy Corram whome we Left Sick on the Road is effective when in health.

JOHN BOGGS Capt.

Mustered Then in Capt. Boggs Compa The Capt. one Lieutent one Ensign Four Serjants one Drummer & Twenty Privates Allowing one Private Sick to Pass Unrespited he being Certified Effective This muster is taken from the Seventeenth of December to the 27th Boath Days Encluded.

NATHL. DONNELL, Dept. Must. Mast.

War Dept. Washington, D. C.

(Note—This Roll has no date, but as Nathaniel Donnell was Muster Master in 1776, it would make the date about that time.)

## A MUSTER ROLL OF CAPT. WALTER CARSONS COMPANY OF MILITIA OF THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE DELAWARE STATE COMMANDED BY MAJOR THOMAS DUFF, ENTERED INTO THE CONTINENTAL SERVICE 18th DAY of DECR. 1776

| | COMMISSIONED OFFICERS<br>Capt. Walter Carson<br>1st. Lieut. Thos Rankin<br>2d. Lieut. Joseph Steel | |
|---|---|---|
| Sergts.<br>1st. Sergt. John Smith<br>2d. Do. James Simpson, Sr. | | |
| 3 Ebezr. Copner<br>4 Geo. Gillespie<br>5 Charles Graham<br>6 Robert Hamilton<br>7 Alexr. Inglis<br>8 Jacob Moor<br>9 Robert Moor<br>13 Robert Rankin<br>14 Jas. Rankin<br>15 Obediah Sargeant<br>16 John Sargeant<br>17 Allen Steel<br>18 William Simpson<br>19 Jas. Simpson<br>20 John Scott<br>21 Saml. Work<br>22 John Donnaly, Dembr 20<br>23 William Crawford, Do 20<br>William McSparron, Do 18 | | |

I do Declare on Honour that the Officers & men who Appeared This Day in my Company are Bona fida Engaged in the Service of this State & Recieve pay according to the Rank they hold in this Role Likewise the time of Entering into and Present Service is Assertained on the Face of This Role.

WALTER CARSON Capt.

Mustered Then in Capt. Carsons Company The Captn. Two Lieutent Two Sergant & Eighteen Privates NB Mm. McSparron Joyned after the Muster this muster is Taken from the Eighteenth of December to the 26 Do Boath Days Encluded.

NATHL. DONNELL Dept. Must. Mast.

Original—Historical Society of Del.

## A MUSTER ROLL OF CAPT. THOMAS WATSON'S COMPANY OF MILITIA

From the DELAWARE STATE, first Comp. of the Second Battalion, Commanded by Col. Thomas Couch.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Entered into Service the 27th, 1776 | Commissioned Officers<br>Capt. Thomas Watson<br>1st. Lieut. Allexr. Thompson<br>2nd. Lieut. Nathaniel Carr<br>Ensign Stephen Eynon | |
| Serjeants<br>Thomas McCrea | Corporals | Drummer<br>William Eynon<br>Fifer<br>John Watson |
| Privates<br>David McMahen<br>Matthew Knox<br>James Jones<br>Enoch Jones<br>Richard Thomas<br>Thomas Galacher<br>Nathaniel Chesnut<br>William Galacher<br>James Galacher<br>Daniel Jones<br>Thomas Thomas<br>William Warnock<br>Matthew Jack<br>David Morgan<br>Andrew Boyd | Privates<br>Shem James<br>Thomas Jones<br>Mosis Mynor<br>John McCune<br>Joseph Wolkner<br>Malcomb McAntire<br>William Camolon<br>Evan Davis<br>James Ore<br>Morgan Jones<br>Auther Austin, Dec. 26<br>Hans Miller, do 26<br>Richard Williams do 26 | |

I do Declare on Honour that the Officers & Men who Appeared This Day in my Comp are Bonafida Engaged in the Service of This State & Receive pay According to Rank they hold in this Role Likewise the time of Entring into the Present Service is Assertained on the Face of this Role.

THOS. WATSON Capt.

Mustered Then in Capt. Watson's Compa The Capt., Two Lieutents, one Ensign one Serjant one Drumer one Fifer & Twenty Six Privates Encluding Two Volenteers.

This Muster is taken from the Seventeenth of December To the 27th Do Boath Days Encluded.

NATHL. DONNELL, Dept. Muster Ma.

NB Three Privates Joined after the Muster whose Time of Entry is 26th. December.

NATHL. DONNELL.

War Dept. Washington, D. C.

## A MUSTER ROLL OF CAPTAIN WILLIAM PEERY'S COMPANY OF .....BATTALION

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | William Peery, Captain<br>Hugh King , first Lieutenant<br>John Sheldon Dorman, 2nd Lieut.<br>John Hazzard, Ensign | |
| | Sergeants<br>Robert Hood<br>Emmanuel Russel<br>James Vent<br>Robert Prettyman | Corporals<br>John Bar<br>John Vent<br>John Dutton<br>Joseph Darby | Drummer<br>Richard Hilford |
| Enrolled<br>18th of Dec.<br>1776 do<br>do<br>do<br>do<br>do<br>do<br>do<br>20th<br>18<br>do<br>do<br>21<br>18th<br>19<br>18<br>do<br>do<br>do<br>18<br>do<br>do<br>19 | John Tam<br>Constant Marrinor<br>James McNiell<br>John Clampitt<br>Moses Marriner<br>David Stephenson<br>Samuel Wiltbank<br><br>James Coulter<br>Archibald Hopkins<br>Elephaz Dazey<br>Thomas West<br>Clark Notingham<br>John Young<br>Robert Stephenson<br>William Hazzard<br>Zael Hall<br>William Coulter<br>Abraham Conwell<br>John Hopkins<br>Thomas Coulter<br>Thomas Harris<br>John King<br>William Hopkins<br>Oliver Pride | 18 Spencer Lacy<br>28 Thomas Bostridge<br>18 Aaron Srowden<br>do Alexander McIlvain<br>do Shephard McIlvain<br>do Jacob Notinhgam<br>do Samuel Dodd | |

I do declare on Honour that the Officers and Men who appeared this day in my Company are Bona fide Engaged in the service of the United States and Receive pay according to the Rank they hold in this Roll likewise the time of Entering into the present service is assertained on the face of this Roll: Also Samuel Stephen (Torn out).

WILLIAM PEERY

Mustered Then in Capt. Peerys Company One Captain Two Lieutenants One Ensign Four Sergeants Four Corporals One Drummer and Twenty Eight Privates Allowing one Private sick to Pass Unrespited he being Certified Effective. This muster is Taken from the Eighteenth of December to the Eighth of January 1777 Boath Days Encluded.

NATHL. DONNELL Dept. Must. Mast.

# A MUSTER ROLL OF THE INDEPENDENT COMPANY OF FOOT IN THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES

Raised for the safe Guard of the Pilots and the persons and Goods of the well Effected subjects of the said States residing near the Town of Lewes and the Coast of Delaware Bay

Commanded by Captain William Peery.

| Date of Commission | | Captain William Peery | Date of Commission 1777 | Lieutenants | Date of Commission 1777 | Ensign William Hall |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1777 April | 23 | | April 23 | 1st. John Westly<br>2nd. John Hazzard | April 23 | |
| Date of Inlistment 1777 April | | Sergeant James Vent | Date of Inlistment 1777 | Corporals Noble Lewes | Date of Inlistment 1777 | Drum & Fife |
| | 24 | Levy Virden | April 24 | John Cade | April 24 | Joseph Dyer |
| | do | Jesse Hall | do | James McNiell | do | Isaac Tull |
| | do | William Frame | do | Constantine Marriner | | |

| Date of Inlistment 1777 April | | PRIVATES | Remarks | Date of Inlistment | PRIVATES | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 24 | John Hopkins | | May 6 | William Powders | |
| | do | William Coulter | | do | Daniel Roach | |
| | do | Thomas Coulter | | do | Zael Hall | |
| | do | Robert Willis | | do | William Hopkins | |
| | do | John Tam | | do | Edward Hitchens | |
| | do | David Richards | | do | Ezekiel Hitchins | |
| | do | William Butcher | | do | Wrixam Lewes | |
| | do | Benja. Prettyman | | do | Jacob Notingham | |
| | do | Isaac Richards | | do | William Hall | |
| | do | Isaac Darnell | | do | David Hopkins | |
| | do | Spencer Lacy | | do | George Collins | |
| | do | John Stephenson | | do | John Windsor | |
| | do | Benjamin Doherty | | do | Mathew Wharton | |
| | do | James Coulter | | 7 | Thomas Wright | |
| | do | Robert Hall | | 7 | Peter Stockly | |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | do | Isaac Atkins | |
| | do | Aaron Sowden | |
| | do | James Marriner | |
| | do | Samuel Dodd | |
| | do | William Orr | |
| | do | Thomas Bullock | |
| | d0 | John Bignall | not joined |
| | do | Alexander McIlvain | |
| | do | William Bignall | |
| | do | Shipna Cord | |
| | do | Daniel Jester | |
| | do | John Fleming | |
| | do | Levin Stradly | |
| | do | Luke West | |
| | do | Richard Tull | |
| | do | Rhoads Dazey | Sick |
| May | 6 | Eliphaz Dazey | |
| | 7 | Prettyman Stockly | |
| | 7 | John Black | |
| May | 7 | John Young | not joined |
| | do | John Stewart | |
| | do | Stephen Atkins | |
| May | 9 | Joseph Prettyman | |
| | do | Thomas Mcguire | |
| | do | Thomas Dazey | |
| | 19 | William Stephenson | |
| | do | Thomas West | |
| | do | Peter Ricords | |
| | do | Robert Lacy | |
| June | 2 | Samuel Glover | |

Lewes, June 2nd, 1777

I do hereby Certify that the Within Roll Contains a just and true State of the Independent Company in the Service of the United States of America raised for the protection of the Pilots and other well Effected Subjects of the said States residing near the Town of Lewes and the Coast of Delaware Bay.

WILLIAM PEERY Captain.

## A LIST OF THE OFFICERS APPOINTED IN THE DELAWARE BATTALION BY JOHN McKINLY ESQUIRE

President of that State, at the Desire of his EXCELLENCY GENERAL WASHINGTON, who promised to commission them accordingly, & as there was a total deficiency of Field Officers therein, they were therefore all appointed in one Day, & promoted, according to custom, in the Line of the Batalion, wherein every one of them, above the Rank of an Ensign, held Commissions at the time of their Appointment, to Wit, on the Fifth Day of April 1777.

### FIELD OFFICERS

David Hall Junr. Esquire Colonel
Charles Pope Esquire Lieut. Colonel
Joseph Vaughan Esquire Major

| Captains | First Lieutenants | Second Lieutenants | Ensigns |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1st John Patten | 1st Jonathan Hearney | 1st George Purvis | 1st Benj, McLane |
| 2nd Robert Kirkwood | 2nd Alexr. Stewart | 2nd Paul Queenouault | 2nd John Betson |
| 3rd James Moore | 3rd John Wilson | 3rd James Broughton | 3rd Thomas Berry |
| 4th Enoch Anderson | 4th John Corse | 4th Henry Duff | 4th James Campbell |
| 5th Thos. Holland | 5th John Rhodes | 5th Caleb Brown | 5th Caleb Bennett |
| 6th John Learmonth | 6th Wm. McKennan | 6th Griffith Jordan | 6th Joseph Horseman |
| 7th Cord Hazard | 7th Danl. Powel Cox | 7th Joseph Wild | 7th Elijah Skillington |
| 8th Peter Jaquett, Jun. | 8th Richard Wild | 8th John Hyatt | 8th Charles Kidd |

I Do certify that the above is an exact List of the Officers of the Delaware Battalion appointed as above—Witness my hand at Wilmington this 20th. August 1777, at the same were appointed.

REUBEN GUILDER Surgeon
JOHN PLATT Surgeon's Mate

JNO. McKINLY.

N. B. A List similar to the above (in compliance with the Requisition of the Board of War signified by the Secretary on the 16th of June last & in pursuance of a Resolution of Congress therewith enclosed) was transmitted in a letter to that Board on the 19th of the same Month (June) by

JOHN McKINLY.

War Dept. Washington, D. C.

## AN ACCOUNT OF CLOTHING DELIVERED BY LIEUT. COLO. SMITH ON FORT MIFFLIN

to the Soldiers under his Command from the Delaware Regiment

| TO WHOM DELIVERED | Companies | Coats | Vests | Breeches | Shirts | Shoes | Stockings | Blankets | G Coats |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| James Clements | Pattons | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | |
| William Owens | Do | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| John Preston | Moores | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| Jos. Emerton | Hollands | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| John King | Do | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| John Johnson | Hazzards | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| John Vandegrift | Jacquet | | | | | | 1 | | |
| Chs McLachlan | Pattons | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| John Ashon | Hazzards | | | | 1 | | 1 | | |
| Patt. Davis | Larmath | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| William Smith | Jacquett | | | | 1 | | 1 | 1 | |
| William Peach | Moore | | | | 1 | | 1 | 1 | |
| Neal Livingston | Hazzards | 1 | | | 1 | | 1 | 1 | |
| JohnBurcham | Moore | | | 1 | | | 1 | | |
| Capt. Hazzards | | | | | 2 | | 6 | | |
| | | 2 | | 3 | 14 | 7 | 20 | 4 | |

War Dept. Washington, D. C.

## A RETURN OF THE OFFICERS AND MEN BELONGING TO THE STATE OF DELAWARE SERVING IN THE LEGION COMMANDED BY COLONEL HENRY LEE

| NAMES | | Rank | NAMES | | Rank |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Allen McLane | | Captain | Stephen Green | 14 May 77 | Private |
| John Eddonfield | 27 Feb. 77 | Sergeant | Caleb Levick | 10 Mch 77 | do |
| Matthew Kusick | 6 Mch 77 | do | Andrew Manerin | 7 Apr. 77 | do |
| Robert Farrell | 17 Feb. 77 | do | Benjamin Jackson | deserted | do |
| Joseph McLane | | Private | Ledford Berry | deserted | do |
| Benjamin Malster | | do | Thomas Finn | 23 Feb. 77 | do |
| Jeremiah McDade | | do | John Dickinson | deserted | do |
| Hugh McDade | | do | Jacob Humphreys | deserted | do |
| William Cox | | do | James Sango | | do |
| John Vandegrift | deserted | do | Baylor Gill | Killed | do |
| Philip Wheelon | 18 Feb. 77 | do Killed | Samuel Meredith | | do |
| Ezekiel Clark | 10 Feb. 77 | do | John Meredith | | do |
| William Maddon | 12 Apr. 77 | do | Nathan Scotten | Killed | do |
| Daniel Dewees | 12 May 77 | do | Nicholas Wood | | do |
| Henry Kelly | 15 Feb. 77 | do | William Jenkins | | do |
| Thomas Wells | 14 May 77 | do | Joseph Wilson | | do |
| Philip Reily | 16 Apr. 77 | do | James Donohoe | | do |
| Jabez Emory | deserted | do | Robert Levick | | do |
| Eleazar Crane | deserted | do | | | |
| Perry Scott | 10 Apr. 77 | do | | | |
| Charles McMulligan | | do | | | |
| William Lovegrove | deserted | do | | | |
| Patrick Dagnon | 7 Mch 77 | | | | |

N. B. The above & foregoing Soldiers were inlisted before May 1777, except Gill, Meredith, Scotten, Wood, Jenkins, Willson, Donohoe & Robert Levick.

For Joseph Carleton,
Ben. Grayson.

## GUARD AT HOUSE OF COL. CRAGHEAD, ORDERED BY PRESIDENT McKINLY

(Autograph letter)

Wilmington, 2nd. Sept. 1777

Sir

You are hereby required to furnish a Guard of Four of the Militia of your Company to be placed at the House of Lt. Col. Craghead for the protection of the Public Papers Records &c. which are there deposited at present—which Guards are to be regularly relieved, & are to be paid by the publick.

You are also to take care that four Waggons with a suitable Team of Horses to each be kept in constant readiness in that neighbourhood for the purpose of removing the said Papers Records &c at the shortest notice should such removal appear necessary for their better preservation, which Teams are therefore to be exempted from being pressed in any other public Service & shall accordingly have a certificate for such exemption on your transmitting me their Names &c.

To Capt. Robert Pierce or the Commanding Officer
of his Company in Christa. Hund.

JNO. McKINLY

## ROBERT PIERCE'S BILL FOR GUARD

1777 NEW CASTLE COUNTY

To CAPT. ROBT. PIERCE Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sept. 1st. | To John Bowman Ensign for 8 days on Guard at Col. Cragheads) the Loan Office and other Public papers) by order of his Excellency John McKinly Esq. | 2– 0–0 |
| | To John Harris, for 6 days on Sd. Service | 15–0 |
| | To James Smith, do do | 15–0 |
| | To John Smith, do do | 15–0 |
| | To David Carnahan do do | 15–0 |
| | To myself 3 days, on Sd. Service | 1–10–0 |
| | To Seven men boarding 2 days at Colonel Cragheads and 2 men 4 days @ 3/9 pr. day each | 4– 2–6 |
| | To one room and other Trouble in Colonel Cragheads House with sd. Office and Papers | 2–10–0 |
| | To John Armstrong for Boarding one man 6 days when on the above Guard @ 3/9 pr day | 1– 2–6 |
| | To Abraham Gregg for boarding 2 men four days on sd. Guard @ 3/9 pr day each | 1–10–0 |
| | | 15–15–0 |

## BILLS FOR TEAMS

1777 NEW CASTLE COUNTY

To SAML. CAMPBELL, Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sept. ye 8th | To Six days of my Self and Team Halling and Attending on the Publick Records and papers by order of President John McKinly Esq. | 9– 0–0 |
| Cr. | | |
| | by two days halling Captain Johnstons and others goods by permission of the president | 3– 0–0 |
| Impressed | Balance Due | 6– 0–0 |

Sept. 2nd.
by Captain Pierce

Saml. Campbell.

NEW CASTLE COUNTY

To JOHN CLOUD, Dr.

1777
Sept. 8th. to 1 Day of my teem holing Publick Records as pr order of the Presidant John mcKinley..... 1–10–0

NEW CASTLE COUNTY

1777 To JOHN ARMSTRONG Dr.

To six days of my Self and team halling and attending on the Records and
Impressed publick papers by order of President John McKinly Esq..... 9– 0–0
Sept. 2d. John Armstrong.
by Captain Pierce

NEW CASTLE COUNTY

To SAML. GRAVES Dr.

Sept. 8th.
1777
to 1 Days of My teem holing the Publick Records as pr. Order the Presidant John mcKinley..... 1–10–0

NEW CASTLE COUNTY

1777 To JOHN GARRETT Dr.

Sept. 8th. To Six days of his Self & Team attending on the Publick Records by order of
Impressed John McKinley Esq. President of the Delaware State..... 9– 0–0
ye 2d. Sept.
by Capt. Pierce

NEW CASTLE COUNTY

Sept. 8th.
1777 To DAVID JEMISON Dr.

Sept. 8th To Six Days of my Self and team halling and attending on the Publick Records and papers by order of President John McKinly Esq..... 9– 0–0
Cr. by two days halling Mr. Johnstons and other goods by permition of the president 3– 0–0
Impressed
Sept. 2d 6– 0–0
by Captain Pierce David Jemison

## LIST OF THE CHARGES CONTAINED IN THE "GENERAL STATE OF MILITIA ACCTS" OF KENT COUNTY

Arranged and those parts examined that appeared allowable

| No. | Names of the accountants & nature of the charges | The sums as charged in the Genl. State | | | | | Not admited to debit the U. States | | Suspended | | Pay | | Trans'n | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | £ | S | P | dollars | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | Capt. Cartys troop Aug. 77 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay | 62 | 1 | 8 | 165 | 50 | | | | | | | | |
| | Ditto for horses | 43 | 4 | | 115 | 18 | | | | | | | | |
| | Medicine | 20 | | | 53 | 30 | | | | | | | | |
| | | 125 | 5 | 8 | 334 | 8 | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | Capt. Grays Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay (August 1777) | 46 | 7 | 6 | 123 | 60 | | 12 | | | 123 | 48 | | |
| | Expences for diet &c. | 4 | 9 | | 11 | 78 | | | 11 | 78 | | | | |
| | Waggon | 21 | | | 56 | | | | | | | | 56 | |
| | Pay & rations June 76 | 100 | 6 | | 267 | 42 | 267 | 42 | | | | | | |
| | | 172 | 2 | 6 | 450 | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | Capt. Manny's Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 1777 | 53 | 3 | 2 | 141 | 68 | | | | | 141 | 68 | | |
| | Rum & Subsistence | 8 | 6 | 3 | 22 | 15 | | | 22 | 15 | | | | |
| | Retained rations | 1 | 5 | | 3 | 30 | | | 3 | 30 | | | | |
| | Pay & rations Jun 76 | 111 | 10 | 2 | 297 | 32 | 297 | 32 | | | | | | |
| | | 174 | 4 | 7 | 464 | 55 | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | Capt. Raymonds Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay & Subsistence for 3 days in May 1777 | 50 | 3 | | 133 | 66 | 133 | 66 | | | | | | |
| 5 | Capt. Berry's Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 77 | 37 | 19 | 10 | 101 | 28 | | | | | 101 | 28 | | |
| | Do June 1776 | 102 | 19 | 4 | 274 | 52 | 274 | 52 | | | | | | |
| | Do May 1777 to Namans' Ck. | 38 | 16 | 8 | 103 | 50 | | | 103 | 50 | | | | |
| | | 179 | 15 | 10 | 479 | 40 | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | Capt. Dalinars Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 1777 | 31 | 13 | 2 | 84 | 38 | | | | | 84 | 38 | | |
| | Rum | 4 | 5 | 6 | 11 | 36 | | | 11 | 36 | | | | |
| | Pay & Sub. June 1776 | 72 | 7 | 7 | 193 | | 193 | | | | | | | |
| | ditto & do May 1777 | 14 | 10 | 10 | 38 | 70 | | | 38 | 70 | | | | |
| 7 | Capt. Furbees Co. | 122 | 17 | 1 | 327 | 54 | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay & Sub. June 1776 | 76 | 2 | | 202 | 84 | 202 | 84 | | | | | | |
| | ditto & do May 1777 | 26 | 15 | | 71 | 30 | | | 71 | 30 | | | | |
| | | 102 | 17 | | 274 | 24 | | | | | | | | |
| 8 | Capt. Browns Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay &c in June 1776 | 29 | 16 | 4 | 79 | 46 | 79 | 46 | | | | | | |
| 9 | Capt. Blackshares Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay &c in June 1776 | 45 | 16 | 8 | 122 | 20 | 122 | 20 | | | | | | |
| 10 | Capt. Stouts Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay & Sub. June 1776 | 36 | 8 | | 97 | 60 | 97 | 60 | | | | | | |
| 11 | Capt. Barretts Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay &c June 1776 | 141 | 3 | 10 | 376 | 46 | 376 | 46 | | | | | | |
| | Salt & Cartridge box | 4 | 5 | 0 | 11 | 30 | 1 | 30 | 10 | | | | | |
| | Pay & Sub. May 77 | 64 | 10 | 10 | 172 | 10 | | | 172 | 10 | | | | |
| | forwd | 209 | 19 | 8 | 559 | 86 | | | | | | | | |

| No. | Names of the accountants & nature of the charges | The sums as charged in the Genl. State | | | | | Not admited to debit the U. States | | Suspended | | Pay | | Trans'n |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | £ | S | P | dollars | | | | | | | | |
| 12 | Capt. Hails Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay & Sub. 1776..... | 104 | 9 | 1 | 278 | 49 | 278 | 49 | | | | | |
| 13 | Capt. Belleach's Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay & Sub. 1776..... | 15 | 9 | 9 | 41 | 26 | 41 | 26 | | | | | |
| | do May 1777..... | 76 | 16 | 9 | 204 | 81 | | | 204 | 81 | | | |
| | | 92 | 6 | 5 | 246 | 17 | | | | | | | |
| 14 | Capt. McCalls Co..... | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 1777..... | 66 | 18 | 7 | 178 | 43 | | | 3 | 83 | 174 | 50 | |
| | retained rations do..... | 3 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 50 | | | 8 | 50 | | | |
| | paid Sub. do ..... | | 15 | | 2 | | | | 2 | | | | |
| | Pay & Sub June 1776 ..... | 47 | 3 | 5 | 125 | 71 | | | | | | | |
| | | 118 | 1 | 5 | 314 | 74 | | | | | | | |
| 15 | Capt. Caldwells Co..... | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 1777.... | 81 | 12 | 8 | 217 | 62 | 9 | 70 | | | 207 | 82 | |
| | Diet do .... | 1 | 2 | | 2 | 84 | | | 2 | 84 | | | |
| | do forage & rum do .... | 69 | 14 | 6 | 185 | 84 | | | 248 | 84 | | | |
| | Waggon do .... | 3 | | | 8 | | | | | | | | 8 |
| | Pay &c June 1776..... | 124 | 14 | 8 | 340 | 56 | 340 | 56 | | | | | |
| | ditto for sundry services... | 218 | 1 | 8 | 581 | 50 | 581 | 50 | | | | | |
| | Rum forage &c..... | 7 | 0 | 8 | 18 | 68 | | | | | | | |
| | Rum, diet & forage Col. Pope..... | 31 | 10 | 6 | 84 | 6 | | | 84 | 06 | | | |
| | | 539 | 16 | 8 | 1439 | 50 | | | | | | | |
| 16 | Capt. Snow..... | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 1777..... | 18 | 1 | 9 | 48 | 21 | | | 48 | 21 | | | |
| | Cartridge boxes & repairs.. | 3 | 4 | | 8 | 48 | 8 | 48 | | | | | |
| | | 21 | 5 | 9 | 56 | 69 | | | | | | | |
| 17 | Capt. Reeses Co..... | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 1777..... | 24 | 2 | 6 | 64 | 30 | | | | | 64 | 30 | |
| 18 | Capt. Morris Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay &c June 1776..... | 72 | 13 | | 193 | 66 | 193 | 66 | | | | | |
| 19 | Capt. Denny's Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 1777..... | 31 | 16 | 8 | 84 | 80 | | | | | 84 | 80 | |
| | do.. May 1777..... | 14 | 17 | 9 | 39 | 63 | | | 39 | 63 | | | |
| | retained rations do..... | 6 | 7 | 6 | 17 | | | | 17 | | | | |
| | | 53 | 1 | 11 | 141 | 53 | | | | | | | |
| 20 | Capt. Manny's Co..... | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | diet for his Co. in Phila.... | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | & blanket hire Jan. 1777... | 12 | 3 | 0 | 33 | 67 | 33 | 67 | | | | | |
| 21 | Capt. Griffiths Co..... | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 1777..... | 20 | 0 | 9 | 77 | 39 | 2 | 24 | | | 75 | 15 | |
| 22 | Capt. Wests Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 1777..... | 23 | | | 61 | 30 | | | | | 61 | 30 | |
| | ditto June 1776..... | 21 | 3 | 10 | 56 | 46 | 56 | 46 | | | | | |
| 23 | Capt. Caytons Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay June 1776..... | 55 | 2 | 10 | 147 | 04 | 147 | 04 | | | | | |
| 24 | Capt. Lewis's Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 1777..... | 36 | 11 | 10 | 97 | 52 | | | | | 97 | 52 | |
| 25 | Capt. Corries Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 1777..... | 18 | 11 | 9 | 49 | 51 | | | | | 49 | 51 | |
| | Forwarded..... | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| No. | Names of the accountants & nature of the charges | The sums as charged in the Genl. State | | | | | Not admited to debit the U. States | | Suspended | | Pay | | Trans'n | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | £ | S | P | dollars | | | | | | | | | |
| 26 | Lieut. Townsend's detach. . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay assisting civil powers . . . | 12 | 16 | 7 | 34 | 19 | 34 | 19 | | | | | | |
| 27 | Benjamin Gibbs | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Waggon hire in Aug. 1777. . | 23 | 10 | 0 | 62 | 60 | | | | | | | 62 | 60 |
| 28 | Jacob Gooding . . . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 529 lbs. beef Aug. 1777 . . . . | 26 | 9 | 0 | 70 | 48 | | | 70 | 48 | | | | |
| 29 | John Bell diet of Militia . . . . . | 90 | 11 | 10 | 241 | 52 | | | 241 | 52 | | | | |
| | Waggonage for do 1777. . . | 17 | 10 | 0 | 46 | 60 | | | | | | | 46 | 60 |
| | Diet after tories . . . . . | 21 | 15 | 2 | 58 | 02 | 58 | 02 | | | | | | |
| | Waggonage do . . . . . | 10 | 10 | 0 | 28 | | 28 | | | | | | | |
| 30 | David Gordon Provisions . . . . | 3 | 17 | 9 | 10 | 33 | | | 10 | 33 | | | | |
| 31 | Joseph Zelippo Waggon 76. . . | 1 | 7 | 6 | 3 | 60 | 3 | 60 | | | | | | |
| 32 | Alexander Worknot Beef. . . . . | 9 | 6 | 0 | 24 | 72 | | | 24 | 72 | | | | |
| 33 | John Enos Provisions 77. . . . . | 19 | 0 | 6 | 50 | 66 | | | 50 | 66 | | | | |
| 34 | Sarah Noxon forage do. . . . . | 17 | 10 | 0 | 46 | 60 | | | 46 | 60 | | | | |
| 35 | Richd. Wells Waggon. . . . . | 7 | 10 | 0 | 20 | | | | 20 | | | | | |
| 36 | Joshua Martenson Waggon. . . | 20 | 0 | 0 | 53 | 30 | | | | | | | 53 | 30 |
| 37 | John Banning amunition. . . . . | 27 | 18 | 5 | 74 | 41 | 74 | 41 | | | | | | |
| 38 | Levin Winright Waggon 77. . . | 3 | | | 8 | | 8 | | | | | | | |
| | ditto May 77. . . . . | 7 | 10 | | 20 | | | | 20 | | | | | |
| 39 | Thomas Skillington. . . . . | 10 | 10 | | 28 | | | | | | | | | |
| | Diet Aug. 1777 . . . . . | 9 | 15 | 0 | 26 | | | | 26 | | | | | |
| 40 | William Jordan Qr. Mr. . . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay 3 days May 1777. . . . . | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 63 | 2 | 63 | | | | | | |
| | ditto 19 do Aug. 1777 . . . . . | 6 | 8 | 3 | 17 | 09 | 17 | 09 | | | | | | |
| | retained rations. . . . . | 2 | 15 | 0 | 7 | 30 | 7 | 30 | | | | | | |
| | Beef rope & paper. . . . . | 1 | | | 2 | 60 | 2 | 60 | | | | | | |
| 41 | Col. Thos. Collins. . . . . | 11 | 3 | 6 | 29 | 72 | | | | | | | | |
| | Provisions Aug. 1777. . . . . | 65 | 4 | 10 | 173 | 88 | | | 173 | 88 | | | | |
| 42 | Capt. Lockwoods Co. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 1777. . . . . | 54 | 10 | | 145 | 30 | | | | | | 30 | | |
| | Cartouch boxes. . . . . | 11 | | | 29 | 30 | 29 | 30 | | | 145 | | | |
| | Pay & Waggon June 1776. . | 34 | 6 | 6 | 91 | 48 | 91 | 48 | | | | | | |
| 43 | Field & Staff . . . . . | 99 | 16 | 6 | 266 | 18 | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay & rations June 1776. . . | 38 | 0 | 5 | 101 | 35 | 101 | 35 | | | | | | |
| 44 | ditto Pay May 1777. . . . . | 11 | 17 | 6 | 31 | 60 | | | 31 | 60 | | | | |
| | Militia expenses do. . . . . | 3 | 10 | | 9 | 30 | | | 9 | 30 | | | | |
| | Rations do . . . . . | 14 | 1 | 3 | 37 | 45 | | | 37 | 45 | | | | |
| | | 29 | 8 | 9 | 78 | 45 | | | | | | | | |
| 45 | ditto | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay Aug. 77. . . . . | 100 | 15 | 6 | 268 | 66 | 7 | 89 | | | | 67 | | |
| | retained rations do . . . . . | 4 | 13 | 4 | 12 | 40 | | | 12 | 40 | 260 | | | |
| | | 105 | 8 | 10 | 281 | 16 | | | | | | | | |
| 46 | William Hudson for amunition & blankets. . . . . | 5 | 10 | 1 | 14 | 61 | 14 | 61 | | | | | | |
| | | 3155 | 17 | 6 | 8415 | 60 | | | | | | | | |

## A ROLL CONTAINING A TRUE STATE OF CAPTAIN JOHN PATTENS COMPANY IN THE DELAWARE REGT. OF FOOT in the Service of the UNITED STATES, Commanded by COLO. DAVID HALL

| NAMES | RANK | Time Inlisted | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|
| John Patten | Capt. | | With the Corps Lt. Infantry |
| Genathan Harney | 1st Lieut. | | Absent with permission Genl. Washington |
| Geo. Purvis | 2nd Lieut & Adjt. | | |
| John Rowan | Serj. | War | With the Corps of Light Infantry |
| Hosea Wilson | Do | Do | |
| Robert Dyer | Do | Do | |
| Henry Rowan | Corpl. | Do | |
| James Husbands | Do | Do | |
| William Redden | Do | Do | with the Corps of Infantry |
| Robert Thompson | Drummer | Do | |
| Michl. Green | Fifer | Do | |
| Harman Clark | Private | Do | |
| Joseph McDowel | Do | Do | |
| Robert Downs | Do | Do | |
| George Collins | Do | Do | |
| John King | Do | Do | |
| Danl. Lawler | Do | Do | |
| John Nelson | Do | Do | |
| James Bernign | Do | Do | |
| James Cochran | Do | Do | |
| Richd. Moore | Do | Do | |
| Charles Figgs | Do | Do | |
| Saml. Miller | Do | Do | |
| Robt. Miller | Do | Do | |
| Danl. Dailey | Do | Do | |
| Mitchel Lecat | Do | Do | |
| Nathan Hearnet | Do | Do | |
| James Clark | Do | Do | |
| David Ellis | Do | Do | |
| George Clifton | Do | Do | |
| William Foster | Do | Do | |
| Samuel Wooden | Do | Do | |
| John Peterson | Do | Do | Sick present |
| William Scantling | Do | Do | Do |
| Thomas Townsend | Do | Do | Do |
| James Tobin | Do | Do | Do |
| Absolom Hill | Do | Do | Do |
| Moses Nichols | Do | Do | Do |
| John Matthews | Do | Do | with the Corps of Lt. Infantry |
| William Peery | Do | Do | Do Do Do |
| Purnal Truitt | Do | Do | Do |
| Michl. McGinnis | Do | Do | Do |
| Charles Dowds | Do | Do | Returned from Hospital |
| Joshua Brown | Do | Do | Do Do |
| Nathan Norton | Do | Do | at the Taylor Factory Del. State Feby 14th. |
| Elias Meeker | Do | Do | at the Shoe Factory Do Do 14th |
| Kenley Haslet | Do | Do | on Q. M. Genl. Guard Do |
| Alexr. McDonald | Do | Do | Sick at Valley Forge |
| Joshua Brown | Do | Do | Sick at Trenton June 29th, 1778 |

Sept. 7th. 1778.

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GEORGE PURVIS Lieut. & Adjt. D. R.

## A ROLL OF CAPTAIN JOHN LEARMONTH'S COMP'Y OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT

September 9th, 1778.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| John Cox | Serjt. | War | Tayloring at Newark March 20th 1778 |
| Jonathan Jordan | | 1 | |
| Charles Coulter | | 1 | |
| Daniel Boyce | | 1 | |
| Seth Brooks | Corporal | 1 | |
| John Middleton | | 1 | |
| James Lover | Drum | 1 | |
| Timothy Cook | Fifer | 1 | |
| John Parker | Private | 1 | |
| Richard Harrison (Harris) | | 1 | |
| Wm. Griffith | | 1 | |
| Samuel Latimore | | 1 | |
| Andrew Dixon | | 1 | |
| James Turner | | 1 | |
| Isaac Darling (Darnell) | | 1 | |
| Henry Nesbett | | 1 | |
| Jeramiah Brown | | 1 | |
| James Cook | | 1 | |
| William Hook | | 1 | |
| Charles Connelly | | 1 | |
| Wm. Orton | | 1 | |
| John Hatfield | | 1 | Sick in Camp |
| Thos. Holdston | | 1 | Do |
| Robert Russell | | 1 | Do |
| James Carson | | 1 | on Command Buchering |
| Thos. Harris | | 1 | Do waiting on Colo. Govain July 5th, 1778 |
| John Smith | | 1 | Sick at Nottingham Hospital May 24th, 1778 |
| John Powell | | 1 | Sick at Valley Forge June 10th, 1778 |
| Wm. Ake | | 1 | Sick at Morris Town June 22d, 1778 |
| Peter Records | | 1 | Sick at Brunswic July 7th. 1778 |
| Matthew Cox | | 1 | Sick Do Do Do |
| Thomas Gordon | | 1 | Sick at Valley Forge June 10th, 1778 |
| Wm. Smith | | 1 | Sick in Sussex County D. State June 10th. 1778 |
| Ebenezer Jackson | | 1 | Sick at Nottingham Hospital May 3d. 1778 |
| Wm. Patterson | | 1 | Sick at Wilmington May 26th, 1778 |
| James McMurdy | | 1 | Do Do Do Do |

JOSEPH HOSMAN, Ens. D. R.

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## A ROLL OF LIEUT. JOHN WILSON'S COMPANY OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT

### Commanded by COLO. DAVID HALL

Sept. 10th, 1778

| NAMES | RANK | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|
| John Wilson | 1st Lieut. | Sick present |
| James Brattan | 2nd Lieut. | |
| Adam Johnston | Serjt. | |
| Moses Pharis | Do | |
| John Spencer | Do | |
| Samuel Cross | Corporal | |
| John Vinyard | Do | |
| William Plowman | Private | |
| Samuel Long | Do | |
| John Roberts | Do | |
| John Harbet | Do | |
| Benjamin Moody | Do | |
| Samuel Nicholas | Do | |
| Mathew Hilford | Do | |
| William Keys | Do | |
| William Peete | Do | |
| John Preston | Do | |
| Richard Tresure | Do | |
| Patten Burris | Do | |
| James Cayton | Do | |
| William Duncley | Do | with the Infantry |
| Daniel Hanley | Do | at the Factory Feby. 1st, 1778 |
| Nathan Cox | Do | Sick Present |
| Marteenis Sipple | Do | Do Do |
| John Andrew | Do | Do absent June 15th, 1778 |
| William Smith | Do | Wagoner |

JAMES BRATTAN L. D. R.

War Dept. Washington, D. C.

## A ROLL OF CAPTAIN ENOCH ANDERSON'S COMPANY 9th September 1778 of the DEL. REGIMENT of FOOT, Commanded by COLO. DAVID HALL ESQ.

| No. | SERJEANTS | War | Remarks | No. | CORPORALS | War | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | James Murphy | 1 | | 1 | Thomas McGuire | 1 | |
| 2 | Wm. Maxwell | 1 | | 2 | David Young | 1 | Sick, present |
| 3 | James Biggs | 1 | | 3 | Dennis Dempsey | 1 | do do |
| 4 | John Cazier | 1 | | 4 | Alexr. Crawford | 1 | |
| 1 | James Smith Drum | 1 | | | Fifer | | |
| 1 | Patrick Burk | | | | Privates | | |
| 2 | John Todd | | | 21 | Hugh Donolly | 1 | Sick present |
| 3 | Cornelius Hagney | | | 22 | Wm. Dixon | 1 | Do |
| 4 | Edward Conner | | | 23 | William Burcham | 1 | Do |
| 5 | John McGill | | | 24 | Charles Wharton | 1 | Do |
| 6 | Thomas Dunn | | | 25 | Hugh Towland | 1 | Do |
| 7 | James Bennett | | | 26 | Patrick Flinn | 1 | Wagoning 20th July 77 |
| 8 | Patrick Denny | | | 27 | Fredk. Read | 1 | on Commd. with the Infantry 12th Aug. 78 |
| 9 | Samuel McMurry | | | | | | |
| 10 | Wm. Walker | | | 28 | John McCabe | 1 | Do Do |
| 11 | John McGinnis | | | 29 | Thomas McCann | 1 | Do Do |
| 12 | John King | | | 30 | Fredk. Vandelip | 1 | Do Do |
| 13 | Alexr. Clark | | | 31 | Henry F. Spear | 1 | with the Commissary 19. Jun. 78 |
| 14 | Ebenzr. Blacksher | | | 32 | Jonathan Cook | 1 | Shoemaking in Newark 20. Jan.78 |
| 15 | Joseph McAfee | | | 33 | Wm. League | 1 | Do Do Do |
| 16 | Benj. Towland | | | 34 | John Purnell | 1 | Do Do Do |
| 17 | John Robinson | | | 35 | Joshua Perrey | 1 | Do Do Do |
| 18 | Wm. Guttery | | | 36 | Michael Dormant | 1 | Taylor Do Mar. 2678 |
| 19 | Patrick Mooney | | | 37 | Benj. Hugg | 1 | in the Armory 26th Mar 77 |
| 20 | Manuel Trayson | | | 38 | William Brown | 1 | on Furlough from 19. Jun 78 Wounded Oct. 77 |
| | | | | 39 | Richard Garrett | 1 | Sick in the Country 19. Aug. 78 |
| | | | | 40 | Joseph Williams | 1 | Sick at Notingham 25. May 78 |
| | | | | 41 | Richard Coffiel | 1 | Sick at Newark 10th July 78 |

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## A ROLL OF LIEUT. DANIEL P. COX'S COMPANY OF THE DELAWARE REGT. OF FOOT in the SERVICE of the UNITED STATES of AMERICA Commanded by COLO. DAVID HALL 1778

| | RANK | Time of Service | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|
| DANIEL P. COX | 1st. Lieut. | | |
| Elijah Skillington | Ensign | | |
| Thomas Thompson | Serjt. | War | |
| John Eshom | Do | Do | |
| John Bentley | Do | Do | on Command Newark Delaware State Feb. 5th. 78 |
| Dennis Leary | Corporal | Do | Sick present |
| Thomas Nash | Do | Do | |
| Edw. Robinson | Drummer | Do | |
| Jno. Marshall | Fifer | Do | |
| Robert Hasty | Private | Do | |
| Neil Livingston | Do | Do | |
| Timothy Layfield | Do | Do | |
| Stephen Bowen | Do | Do | |
| Benjamin Richardson | Do | Do | |
| Jno. Wiley | Do | Do | |
| Hugh Flemming | Do | Do | |
| William Newell | Do | Do | |
| Ellis Flowers | Do | Do | Sick present |
| Jno. Clifton | Do | Do | Do Do |
| Thomas Collins | Do | Do | Do Do |
| Neil McKann | Do | Do | Do Do |
| Benjamin Coverdale | Do | Do | Do Absent Yellow springs Feby. 4th. 78 |
| Isaac Michael | Do | Do | on Furlough |
| Collen Cammell | Do | Do | on Command with the Infantry August 12th 78 |
| Edward Griffin | Do | Do | Do Do Do |
| Thomas Mattingly | Do | Do | on Command Delaware State May 10th 78 |
| Phillip Trewett | Do | Do | on Command Do February 5th, 78 |
| Jno. Furbush | Do | Do | waiting on Colo. Pope Delaware State |

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## A ROLL AND STATE OF LIEUTENANT JOHN RHODES COMPANY OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT

Commanded by COLO. DAVID HALL, Enlisted to Serve During the War

Sept. 9th, 1778

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| John Rhodes | 1st. Lieut. Delaware State | Wounded 13th. May 78 |
| Caleb Brown | 2nd Lieut. | Present for Duty |
| Caleb Bennett | Ensign | Do Do |
| Samuel Davis | Sargeant | Do Do |
| David Black | Do | on furlow from Trenton Hospital |
| William Black | Corpl. | Present for Duty |
| Nehemiah Nichols | Do | Sick in Camp |
| Jos. Emerton | Do | Present for Duty |
| William Skinner | Fifer | Do Do |
| Jacob Cork | Private | Do Do |
| Patrick McKurdey | Do | Do Do |
| Robert Hoskins | Do | Do Do |
| William Pimm | Do | Do Do |
| John Hill | Do | Do Do |
| Uriah Merideth | Do | Do Do |
| Zadock Morris | Do | Do Do |
| John Webstor | Do | Do Do |
| John Lahea | Do | Do Do |
| John Blake | Do | Do Do |
| John Random | Do | Do Do |
| William Thomas | Do | Wagoner |
| William Whiteworth | Do | Detached to the light Infantry |
| William Rowe | Do | Waiting on Major Vaughan, in Penna. |
| John Jackson | Do | Sick in Camp |
| Ezekiel Bradey | Do | Do Do |
| Jos. Sapp | Do | Do Do |
| Thomas Joyles (Giles) | Do | Sick at Valley Forge |
| John Hackney | Do | Do Do |
| William Emory | Do | Do Do |
| Charles Hollingsworth | Do | Do Do |
| Jacob Arnett | Do | Do Do |
| John Cullin | Do | Do at Trenton |
| Henry Russell | Do | Do Do |

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## A RETURN OF THE MEN'S NAMES WITH THEYR CAUSELTEYS AUGUST 1777

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sarjent | Robert Smith | Desarted November the 12 |
| Do | Thos. Mathous | Desarted March 8–1778 |
| Do | Michel Kershaw | |
| Corp. | Wm. Hines | Desarted March 8, 1778 |
| Do | Hugh Patterson | |
| Private | Jinkin Eavens | |
| Do | Henery Wight | |
| | Abraham Vandegrift | Wounded at the Action Germantown Oct. 4th Died the 5th |
| | Benjamin McCue | |
| | Michel Dougherty | Desarted 13 May & Joined 15 of Aug. |
| | John Gorman | |
| | Timothy Kilkeney | |
| | Danel McDaneld | |
| | Andrew Dailey | |
| | John Vandegrift | Died October the 23, 1777 |
| | Mordicy Berry | |
| | Edward Edwards | |
| | John Christean | |
| | John Hignett | Missing Germantown Oct. the 4th |
| | Jams Readman | |
| | John Castels | |
| | Wm. Smith | |
| | Wm. Engley | Died february 23, 1778 |
| | Benjamin Bond | Missing Brandywine Sep. 11th |
| | John Hucheson | " Do Returned Mch 14, 1778 |
| | Peter Westwarter | " Do |
| | John Bradley Sen. | " Do |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Private | John Bradley Jun. | Missing at Brandywine Mch 14 |
| | Meredith McGowen | Do at Scoolkill Sep 19 |
| | Dennis Kain | Do |
| | Samuel Cambel | Desarted May the 31 |
| | Edward Quinn | Desarted June the 15 |
| | Bartley Flinn | Desarted June the 15 |
| | Gorge Rounelds | Died July the 15 |
| | Wm. Tailor | Desarted Agust the 31 |
| | John Heekey | Desarted June the 22 |
| | Michel Homan | Desarted May 19 Discharged July 22 |
| | Barthol. English | Do May 30 Rej. Mch 1 1778 |
| | Richard Curtis | Committed Phila. Goal Aug. 22 |
| | Benj. Rainger | Disarted May the 30 |
| | Jams Sturt | Do June the 23 |
| | Danel Calahan | Do August the 2 |
| | Barthol. Adams | Do June the 15 |
| | John Bartlett | Do August the 6 |
| | Peter Dugless | |
| | Wm. English | taken by pier Enl. Feb 27 |
| | John Greenwood | Disarted Mch the 1 1778 |
| | William Hulin | |
| | John Everight | |
| | Joseph Hebbard | |
| | Benj. Watkinson | |
| | Jacob Burton | |
| | John Turner | |

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## A ROLL OF CAPTAIN PETER JAQUETTS COMPANY OF THE DELAWARE REGT.

Commanded by COLO. D. HALL

Sept. 8th, 1778.

| NAMES | Rank | Time enlisted for | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|
| Peter Jaquett | Capt. | | |
| John Hyatt | 2. Lieut. | | Prisoner the 1 April |
| Charles Kidd | Ens. | | Wounded 1 of June absent |
| Hugh Patterson | Sergt. | War | on Command 1 of July with Comasery |
| Michel Kershaw | Do | Do | Sick Present |
| Mordey Bery | Do | Do | |
| John Evoright | Corpl. | Do | in Hospital August 6 |
| Jenkins Evans | Do | Do | |
| Patrick McCue | Private | Do | |
| Robert Staford | Do | Do | |
| William Right | Do | Do | |
| James Readman | Do | Do | |
| Frances Jones | — | — | |
| William Furbush | — | — | |
| Batl. Adams | — | — | |
| Robert Owens | — | — | |
| Elicam Paris | — | — | |
| John Turner | — | — | |
| James Kinney | — | — | |
| John Foplores | — | — | |
| Daniel Murey | — | — | |
| Timothy Kilkeny | — | — | on Command with Light Infantrey |
| John Castle | — | — | on Do with Do |
| Benjamin Watkinson | — | — | Sick Present |
| Nehemiah Higman | — | — | Do Do |
| Joshua Higman | — | — | Do Do |
| Hambl. Onele | — | — | Do Do |
| Isaac Williams | — | — | Do Do |
| Zeblon Cole | — | — | Do Do |
| Andrea Dailey | — | — | Do Do |
| Robert Nutter | — | — | Do Do |
| Michael Dougherty | — | — | Do Do |
| John Noble | — | — | in Hospital 19 June |
| Zadock Tucker | — | — | Do Do |
| William Hoult | — | — | Do Do |
| William Eavens | — | — | Do Do |
| Evory Atkins | — | — | Do 22 May |
| John Gorman | — | — | on Command February 5 |
| Charles Williams | — | — | Under Gard 1 June |
| Bathm. English | — | — | on Command 24 August |
| Jacob Burton | — | — | |

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## LIEUT. JAQUETT TO RATIONS RETAINED

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| | |
|---|---|
| From the Deate of my Commission November the 27th. 1776 until the 5 of Desember 1 ration pr day | 8.0.0 |
| To 2 Rations pr day Retained from the 5 of Desember until the 6 of march 1777—30 days | 60.0.0 |
| To 1 ration Retained from the 6 of march Until the 5 of April when I Receaved A Captains Commission | 30.0.0 |
| To 2 ration Retained from the 5 of April Until the 3 of May | 56.0.0 |
| To 3 " from the 3 of May Until the 29th of August | 354.0.0 |
| To 2 " from the 29 of August Until the 1 of October | 64.0.0 |
| To 2 Do from the 1 of Desember Until the 1 of January 1778 | 62.0.0 |
| | 634.0.0 |

| | |
|---|---|
| To Rations Retained from November 27, 1776 Until June the 7–1777 at 8d pr Ratn. 250 Rations | 8.4.8. |
| To Rations Retained from the 7 of June Until the 1 of January 1778 at /10 pr Ration 375 Rations | 15.12.6 |
| | 23.17.2. |

August 1777

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| August 19th | Herdman Anderson of Capt. Anderson Comp. 1 Dollar | 00. 7.6. |
| 19th | Jams the Servant of Capt. Pattens Comp. ½ Dollar | 00. 3.9. |
| 26th | John Beatson By Cash your Expenses at Ringoles tavern | 00. 5.0. |
| 26 | Capt. Larmouth By Cash at Ringolds tavern | 00.10.0. |
| 26 | Liet. Jos. Wilds By Cash at Ringolds tavern | 00.10.0. |

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Capt. Jaquetts Compliments to——————————Jamison Begs he would Send him a Little Indian Meal or flower outherwise he will Starve Die & be Damed.

Monday 2 o'clock P. M.

Sir

I really have not one pound, either of Bread, flour or Indian Meal, but as you are so distress, Send you a piece of bad Bread that was left at Dinner.

Expect to get more
this Evening.

A. JAMESON.

## A PAY ROLL OF CAPT. PETER JAQUETT COMPANY OF FOOT BELONGING TO THE DELAWARE REGIMENT

### Commanded by COLO. DAVID HALL for the Month of August 1778

| NAMES | Ranks | Time of Service M | Days | Pay pr Month | Sub pr Month | Amount of and Sustinance £ | S | P | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Peter Jaquett | Capt | 1 | 0 | 40 | 20 | 22 | 10 | 0 | |
| Richard Wilds | Lieut | 0 | 15 | 20¾ | 10 | 6 | 17 | 0 | Resigned 15 Aug. 1778 |
| Charles Kidd | Ens. | 1 | | 20 | 10 | 11 | 5 | 0 | Wounded in June |
| Michel Kershaw | Serj | 1 | | 10 | 3 | 3 | 15 | 0 | |
| Hugh Patterson | Do | | | 10 | | 3 | 15 | 0 | |
| Mordicy Barry | Do | | | 10 | | 3 | 15 | 0 | On Gard & appointed Aug. 1st |
| Daniel McDonald | Corp | | | 7¼ | | 2 | 15 | 0 | |
| John Everight | Do | 0 | 6 | 7¼ | | | 11 | | in Hospital Aug. 6 |
| Peter Duglass | Fifer | 1 | 0 | 7¼ | | 2 | 15 | 0 | |
| Jacob Burton | Priv. | 1 | 0 | 6¾ | | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Wm. Wright | Do | | | | | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Francis Jones | | | | | | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Hamilton Neil | | | | | | 2 | 10 | 0 | on Gard |
| Robert Owens | | | | | | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Zeblon Cole | | | | | | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| John Turner | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | |
| Thomas Murrin | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | unfit for Sarvice |
| Andrew Dailey | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | |
| John Foplous | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | |
| Robert Nutter | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | |
| Isaac Williams | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | |
| Joshua Higman | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | |
| Jams Kimey | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | |
| Patrick McCue | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | |
| Benjamin Watkinson | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | |
| Daniel Murrey | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | |
| Jinkin Eavens | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | |
| John Castel | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | |
| Eliken Paris | | | | | | 3 | 13 | 4 | |
| Wm. Furbush | June | 23 | | | | 3 | 8 | 4 | |
| Jams Readman | July | 20 | | | | 2 | 10 | | |
| Robart Staford | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | on command 2 Sept. |
| Bat. English | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | on Do 27 Aug. |
| Bat. Adams | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | on Do 1 September |
| Timothy Kilkeney | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | on Do Light Infantry |
| John Gorman | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | on Comd. at Newark 5 Feb. |
| Charles Williams | | | | | | 2 | 10 | | under Gard |
| | | | | | | 134 | 5 | 2 | |

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## Commanded by COL. DAVID HALL for the Month July 1778

| NAMES | Ranks | Commencement of Pay | | Time of Service M. | D. | Pay per Month | Subst. | Amt. of pay and Subsistance £ | S | P | Causeltys |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Peter Jaquett | Capt. | July 1 | | 1 | 0 | 40 | 20 | 22 | 16 | 0 | |
| Richard Wilds | Lt. | Do 9 | | Do | Do | 26¾ | 10 | 18 | 15 | 0 | |
| Charles Kidd | Ens. | Do | | Do | Do | 40 | 10 | 11 | 5 | 0 | |
| Hugh Patterson | Sergj. | — | — | — | — | 10 | .. | 3 | 15 | 0 | |
| Michel Kershaw | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 3 | 15 | 0 | |
| Mordicy Berry | Corp. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7¾ | .. | 2 | 15 | 0 | |
| Danel McDaneld | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7¼ | .. | 2 | 15 | 0 | |
| John Everight | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7¼ | .. | 2 | 15 | 0 | |
| Peter Dugless | Fifer | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7¼ | .. | 2 | 15 | 0 | |
| Patrick McCue | Priv. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Jacob Burton | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| William Wright | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Francis Jones | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Hamilton Neil | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Robert Staford | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Robert Owens | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Zebeloun Cole | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| John Turner | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Thomas Marine | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Andrew Dailey | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| John Fopolus | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Robert Nutter | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Barth. English | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Isaac Williams | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Joseph Higman | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Nehemiah Higman | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Bartho. Adams | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Jams Kimey | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Timothy Kilkeney | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Benj. Watkinson | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Daniel Murrey | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Jenkins Eavens | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| John Castel | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| John Gorman | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Elecam Parris | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| Charles Williams | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 2 | 10 | 0 | |
| James Readman | Do | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6¾ | .. | 1 | 11 | 0 | |

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## A RETURN OF THE MEN'S NAMES WITH REMARKS AS THEY WERE ENLISTED MAY 1777

| NAMES | Date of Enlst. | Age Year | Hight Ft. | Hight In. | Place of Nativity | Feeturs | Coulor of Hair | Complection | Treaid | Place of Aboat |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Robert Smith | May 14 | 27 | 5 | 7 | Scotland | | | | | St. Georges |
| Dennis Kain | Do 13 | 23 | 5 | 6 | Ireland | Wellset | Black | Darke | | Readlyon |
| Benjamin Bond | Do 20 | | | | | | | | | |
| Abreham Vandegrift | Do 23 | 21 | 5 | 9½ | Readlyon Hd | Wellset | Brown | Fair | | Readlyon Hd |
| Wm. Hine | Do 23 | 26 | 5 | 7½ | England | | Brown | Swathey | | |
| Benjamin McCue | Do 27 | | | | | | | | | |
| Edward Quinn | Do 21 | 28 | 5 | 6 | Ireland | | Sandey | Sandey | | |
| Peter Westwater | Do 17 | 25 | 5 | 7 | Scotland | | Sandey | Sandey | Barber | Merland |
| Henry Wight | Do 20 | 49 | 5 | 6 | Readlyon | | Black | Swathey | | |
| Bartley Flinn | Do 29 | 37 | 5 | 6 | Ireland | | Greay | Swathey | | |
| Michael Dougherty | Do 21 | 25 | 5 | 9½ | Irland | | Brown | Swathey | | |
| Meredith McGowen | Do 30 | 32 | 5 | 6½ | Irland | | Sandey | Sandey | | |
| John Gorman | Do 19 | 26 | 5 | 5 | Irland | | Black | Swathey | | |
| Timothy Kilkenney | Do 14 | 20 | 5 | 7 | Irland | | Fair | Fair | | |
| Hugh Patterson | Do 30 | | | | | | | | | |
| Michel Homan | Do 18 | | | | | | | | | |
| Samuel Cambell | Do 27 | | 5 | 9 | Irland | | Brown | Fair | | Newcastle Hd |
| George Rounelds | Do 29 | | | | | | | | | |
| John Hucheson | Do 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Thomas Mathous | Do 23 | | | | | | | | | |
| Daniel McDaneld | Do 16 | | | | | | | | | |
| Benjamin Rainger | Do 29 | 29 | 6 | 0 | America | Wellset | Light | Fair | Carpenter | Newcastle Co |
| Andrew Dailey | Do 30 | | | | | | | | | |
| Bartholomew English | Do 28 | 21 | 5 | 7 | Ireland | Round Features | Black | Darke | Shoemaker | Mariland |
| John Vandegrift | June 2 | | 5 | 10 | | | Sandey | Sandey | | |

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## A RETURN OF THE MEN'S NAMES WITH REMARKS, AS THEY WHARE ENLISTED JUNE JULY &C 1777

| NAMES | Date of Enlst. | Eage years | Hight | | Place of Nativity | Features | Coulor of Hair | Complection | Treaid | Place of Aboad |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Ft | In | | | | | | |
| Mordicy Barry | June 2 | 21 | 5 | 7 | St. Georges | | Brown | Fair | | St. Georges |
| Jinkin Evans | Do 7 | | 5 | 11 | | | Black | Fair | | |
| Edward Edwards | Do 20 | | | | | | | | | |
| Wm. Tailour | Do 19 | | | | | | | | | |
| John Bradley Jun. | Do 18 | 17 | 5 | 4 | Newcastle Co | | Fair | Fair | | Newcastle Co. |
| John Hekey | Do 21 | | | | | | | | | |
| John C. Fabricus | Do 21 | 18 | 5 | 5 | Germany | | | | | Readlyon Hd. |
| Michel Kershaw | Do 10 | | | | | | | | | |
| John Hignett | Do 20 | | | | | | | | | |
| Jams Sturt | Do 22 | | | | | | | | | |
| Jams Reedman | Do 24 | | | | | | | | | |
| John Castels | Do 24 | 18 | | | | | | | | |
| Bartholomew Adams | Do 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Wm. Smith | Aug. 1 | 37 | 5 | 8½ | England | | Brown | Fair | Lawer | Merland |
| John Bradley Sen. | Do 7 | 47 | 5 | 7 | Irland | Round Sholdered | Gray | Darke | | Newcastel |
| John Bartlet | Do 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Danel Calahan | Do 7 | | | | | | | | | |
| Richard Curtes | Do 14 | 22 | 5 | 9 | England | | Black | Darke | Bucher | Merland |
| Wm. Ingley | Do 5 | 20 | 5 | 6 | English | | Brown | Fair | | Jersey |
| Peter Duglas 1778 | Feb. 10 | 16 | 4 | 2 | St. G. Hd. | Round | Black | Fair | Farmer | Chrta. Bridge |
| William English | Do 27 | 28 | 5 | 7¾ | Ireland | Round | Black | Fair | Shoe Mk | Maryland |
| John Greenwood | Do 26 | 28 | 5 | 10 | America | Round | Light | Dark | Cooper | Wilmington |
| William Hulin | Apr. 16 | | | | | | | | | |
| Eli Ingram | Do 16 | | | | | | | | | |
| John Everight | Do 27 | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Hebbard | Do 1 | 26 | 5 | 9 | America | Slender | Fair | Brown | Shoemkr | Jersey |
| Benjamin Watkinson | May 11 | | | | | | | | | |
| Jacob Burton | Do 11 | | | | | | | | | |
| Jacob McKinley | Feb. 5 | 18 | 5 | 8 | N Castle | Fair | Fair | | | Read Lyon |

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## A RETURN OF THE MEN'S NAMES WITH REMARKS AS THEY WERE INLISTED 1778

| NAMES | Date of Inlst. | Age years | Hight Ft. | Hight In. | Place of Nativity | Features | Color of Hair | Complexion | Tread | Place of Abode |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hamilton Neal | Feb. 14 | 25 | 5 | 8 | Sussex | | Brown | Dark | | B. Creek |
| Robert Nutter | Mch. 6 | 22 | 5 | 8 | Do | | Fair | Fair | | Sussex |
| Jas. Kimmey | 6 | 20 | 5 | 7 | Do | | Black | Brown | | Sussex |
| Joshua Higman | 6 | 35 | 5 | 9 | Do | | Do | Dark | | Do |
| Wm. Evans | 6 | 20 | 5 | 8 | Do | | Fair | Fair | | Do |
| Robert Owins | 6 | 18 | 5 | 8 | Do | | Brown | Dark | Shoemakr | Do |
| Wm. Wright | 6 | 24 | 5 | 8 | Do | | Fair | Fair | | |
| Wm. Jermin | 8 | 22 | 5 | 9 | Do | | Black | Dark | S. Maker | Do |
| Wm. Carty | 8 | 22 | 5 | 7 | Do | | Read | Dark | Taylor | Do |
| Wm. Holt | 12 | 18 | 5 | 5 | Do | | Brown | Dark | | Do |
| Wm. Furbush | 15 | 17 | 5 | 6 | Do | | Do | Do | | Do |
| Thos. Marine | 16 | 23 | 5 | 9 | Do | | Do | Do | | Do |
| Nemiah Higman | 16 | 24 | 5 | 10 | Do | | Do | Do | | Do |
| Bathol. Adams | 18 | 20 | 5 | 7 | Do | | Black | Dark | | Do |
| Robt. Stawford | 20 | 18 | 5 | 7 | Do | | Fair | Fair | | Do |
| John Noble | 24 | 17 | 5 | 6 | Do | | Black | Dark | | Do |
| Zedick Tucker | 23 | 20 | 5 | 8 | Do | | Brown | Do | | Do |
| Henry Norwood | 24 | 18 | 5 | 6 | Do | | Fair | Fair | | Do |
| Francis Jones | 26 | 20 | 5 | 6 | Do | | Black | Freckled | | Do |
| Zeblon Cole | 28 | 20 | 5 | 6 | Do | | Do | Dark | | Do |
| Every Atkins | Apr. 3 | 20 | 5 | 8 | Do | | Do | Do | | |
| John Turner | 7 | 17 | 5 | 7 | Do | | Do | Do | | Do |
| Eliaken Paris | 14 | 16 | 5 | 6 | Do | | Brown | Brown | | Do |
| Isaac Williams | 14 | 20 | 5 | 8 | Do | | Do | Do | | Do |
| Danl. Murry | June 1 | 22 | 5 | 8 | Do | | Do | Grey eyes | | Do |
| Wm. Roads | May 27 | 23 | 5 | 8 | Do | | Do | Do | | Do |
| Littleton Picron | June 5 | 19 | 5 | 7 | Kent | | Do | | | Kent Co. |
| Elisha Murphy | 8 | 15 | 5 | 2 | Sussex | | Fair | Blue eyes | | Sussex |
| Chas. Williams | Mch 19 | 21 | 5 | 6½ | Do | | Sandy | Do | | |

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## A ROLL OF THE NAMES OF THE MEN IN MY COMPANY, BY LOTTERY

This 14th Day of September 1778. Peter Jaquett Captain D. R.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Captain | Peter Jaquett | | | |
| 1t. Lieut. | Henory Duff | | | |
| Ensign | Elijah Skillington | | | |
| Serjeant | John Spencer | Exchanged for | | Hugh Patterson |
| do | John Jordan | do | do | Michel Kershaw |
| do | Mordica Barry | do | do | Mordaci Barry |
| Corporal | John Vinyard | do | do | Jenkins Evans |
| do | Denis Leary | do | do | John Everight |
| do | Richard Moor | do | do | John Turner |
| Fiffer | John Martial, Jas. Lover | | | |
| Privates | David Ellis | do | do | Joshua Higman |
| | John McKnight | do | do | Isaac Williams |
| | Wm. Alcorn | do | do | Bat Adams |
| | Robt. Turner | | | |
| | Wm. Grace | do | do | Bat. English |
| | Wm. Drew | do | do | Robt. Staford |
| | John Harbert | do | do | Andrew Dailey |
| | Wm. Smith | do | do | Wm. Right |
| | John McGill | do | do | John Foplous |
| | Ebenr. Blackshear | do | do | Francis Jones |
| | Patrick McCurdy | do | do | Wm. Furbush |
| | Isaac Turner | do | do | Michel Dougherty |
| | Jeremiah Brown | do | do | Jacob Burton |
| | Stephen Bowen | do | do | Benj. Walkinson |
| | Hamilton Neal | | | Hamilton Neal |
| | James Kimey | | | James Kimey |
| | Kensy Hasslet | do | do | John Jarman |
| | Absolom Hill | do | do | Zeblon Cole |
| | Wm. Wallis | | | |
| | James Dorman | | | |
| | Curtous Griffith | | | |
| | Adam Toland | | | |
| | Wm. Burcham | do | do | Evory Atkins |
| | John Purnell | do | do | Robert Owens |
| | Wm. Emery | | | |
| | Wm. Ake | | | |
| | Robert Rusel | | | |
| | Zedick Tucker | | | Zedick Tucker |
| | Robert Nutter | | | Robert Nutter |
| | Patrick McCue | | | Patrick McCue |
| | Charles Goter | do | do | John Cook |

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## A RETURN OF CLOTHES ARMS AND ACOUTERMENT OF CAPT. PETER JAQUETT COMPANY

of the Delaware Regiment Commanded by Col. David Hall

| 1777 Bounty Clothes | Coats | Jackets | Shirts | Breches | Stockings | Shoes | Hats | Guns | Bayonets | Cartridge Boxes | Napsaks | Haversakes | Belts | Canteens | T omhokes | Brush & Picker | Screw Driver | Worms | Blankets |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Robert Smith | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thomas Mathous | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Michel Kershaw | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Wm. Hines | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |
| Hugh Patterson | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 2 |
| Jinkins Eavens | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Henery Wight | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |
| Abr. Vandegrift | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |
| Patrick McCue | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Michel Dougherty | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Gorman | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Timothy Kilkeney | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | ... | 1 |
| Danl. McDaneld | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |
| Andrew Dailey | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 2 |
| John Vandegrift | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |
| Mordicy Barry | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Edward Edwards | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Christian | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| John Hignett | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |
| Jams Readman | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| John Castel | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Wm. Smith | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |
| Wm. Engley | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |
| Benjamin Bond | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |
| John Huchison | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Peter Westwarter | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |
| John Bradley Sen. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 |
| John Bradley Jun. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |
| Merideth McGowen | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |
| Denis Kain | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Samuel Cambel | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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## A RETURN OF CLOTHES ARMS AND ACOUTREMENTS OF CAPTAIN PETER JAQUETTS COMPANY

of the Delaware Reagment Commanded by Colo. DAVID HALL

1777

| | Coats | Jackets | Shirts | Breches | Stockings | Shoes | Hats | Guns | Bayonets | Cartridge Boxes | Nap Sakes | Haversakes | Belts | Canteens | Tomhawkes | Brush & Piker | Screw driver | Wormes | Flints | Blankets |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Edward Quinn | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bartley Flinn | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| George Runelds | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |
| Wm. Taliour | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Heeky | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Michael Homan | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bartholomew English | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | ... |
| Richard Curtis | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Benjamine Rainger | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jams Sturt | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Daniel Calahan | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bartholomew Adams | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Bartlett | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Peter Dugless | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Eli Ingram | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| John Everight | 1 | ... | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | 1 |
| Joseph Hebbard | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jacob Burton | ... | ... | 2 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Benjamin Watkinson | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Wm. Holt | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Zedick Tucker | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Wm. Furbush | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Nehemiah Higman | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Robert Nutter | ... | 1 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... |
| Joshua Higman | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Jno. Noble | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Henry Norwood | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Francis Jones | ... | ... | 2 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Bartholomew Adams | ... | ... | 2 | 1 | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... |

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Capt Jaquett D. R.
March Y'7th 1779
Command you may, your mind from play

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## MUSTER ROLL OF RECRUITS AND OTHERS, BELONGING TO THE DELAWARE REGT. UNDER MY COMMAND AT THE POST OF CHRISTIANA BRIDGE

June 20th, 1781.

| No. | NAMES | REMARKS | No. | | REMARKS | No. | | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Joseph Jacobs | | 27 | James Craig | | 53 | Jon. Deacon | |
| 2 | Richard Cogan | | 28 | Wm. Robinson | | 54 | Derick Wade | |
| 3 | Roger McBride | | 29 | George Kirts | | 55 | Lot Ford | |
| 4 | Andrew Cuningham | | 30 | James Lennard | | 56 | Isaac Millaway | |
| 5 | Lewis Jones | | 31 | Joseph McGibbons | | 57 | Major Hitchens | |
| 6 | Silas Bennett | | 32 | Squire Caldwell | | 58 | James Voss | |
| 7 | James Warrick | | 33 | Wm. McGaughan | | 59 | John Waples | |
| 8 | Joseph Hammon | | 34 | Wm. Simmons | | 60 | Laban Turner | |
| 9 | William Jones | | 35 | Wm. Bassford | | 61 | Henry Hudson | |
| 10 | John Hannah | | 36 | James Patterson | | 62 | Caleb Hitchens | |
| 11 | James Young | | 37 | Thomas Dugan | | 63 | Jesse Owens | OLD SOLDIERS |
| 12 | Robert Miller | | 38 | James Weed | | 64 | Thomas Wharton | Serjt. Wilson |
| 13 | John Aull | | 39 | Saml. Akley | | 65 | Edward Harmon | " Murphy |
| 14 | Patrick Connelly | | 40 | John Griskin | | 66 | David Hanrey | " Eshom |
| 15 | Peter Emory | | 41 | Jas. McDonough | | 67 | Robert Carr | " Oram |
| 16 | John Marshall | | 42 | John Belford | | 68 | Thomas Ledger | PRIVATES |
| 17 | Samuel Powell | | 43 | Nathl. Bryan | | 69 | Philip Little | Thomas Townsend |
| 18 | Philip Fitzpatrick | | 44 | Tim'y Crosby | | 70 | Isaiah Clifton | Hamilton O'Neal |
| 19 | Thomas Powell | | 45 | Abram Wales | | 71 | Samuel Banks | Edwd. Griffin |
| 20 | Samuel Kain | | 46 | James Davis | | 72 | James O'Neil | Saml. McMurry |
| 21 | William Flanagan | | 47 | John Loteman | | 73 | Wm. Hudson | Ellis Flowers |
| 22 | James Conner | | 48 | Joseph Thompson | | 74 | Peter Beckett | James Dawson |
| 23 | Edw. Lennegar | | 49 | Preston Hutt | | 75 | Aaron Tizer | |
| 24 | Thomas Dorman | | 50 | John Ryan | | | | |
| 25 | James McGee | | 51 | Saml. Waters | | | | |
| 26 | John Hannah | | 52 | George Lehea | | | | |

WM. McKENNAN Capt. Com'g Lt. D. R.

War Dept. Washington, D. C.

## THOMAS WATTSON'S COMPANY

A report of the men under my Command that was on Duty in the whigg Battalion; November ye 6th, 1777 Being the time yt Capt. Lewis was on the Expedition to apoquiniminy When them Vessels was Taken—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Capt. | Thomas Wattson | Evan Evans | Light Horse Men: |
| Lt. | William Henderson | Jonathan Groves | Stephen Eynon |
| Ens. | David Moody | Daniel Murphy | James Anderson |
| Srg. | Charles Broom | Nicholas Camble | Thomas Bartley |
| Srg. | Abner Williams | Archibald Harvey | Samuel Kerr |
| Srg. | David Clark | James Kirkpatrick | |
| | Rank & file | John Garison | |
| | James Williams | | |
| | William McClea | | |
| | David Morgan | | |
| | Mathew Jack | | |

(Sir) The above Report is Exactly ye number of men that I had on Duty when Captn. Lewis was on that Expedition to appoquinimick but Several Joined me after which I Not Entered here,

I am Sr. your Most obt. Humb. Sevt.

17th October 1778 THOS. WATTSON, Capt. D. W. B

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## JAMES BLACK'S COMPANY

Acct. of the Persons composing Capt. Black's Comp'y, attached to the Whig Battalion in 1777.

1. Jas. Black Capt.
2. Wm. Kennedy, Lieut.
3. Wm. Wilkin, Ensign
4. Stephen Wilkin, Serg.
5. John Boggs
6. Henry Murrow,
7. Nathan Burns,
8. Joseph Miller,
9. Thos. Haynan,
10. Jesse Logan,
11. Abel Haynon
12. William Carroll,
13. David Nivin-Fifer
14. Robt. Crawford apprs. from Major Aikin's letr to have belonged to ye Co.

New Castle County, SS. Before me personally appeared Stephen Wilkin, who upon his solemn oath, declareth, that he was a Sergeant in Capt. Black's Company of Militia attached to the Whig Battalion which was stationed at Newark in the year 1777; and that the Commissioned Officers and Privates, named on the opposite side, being thirteen in number, composed the sd. Capt. Black's Company

Sworn this 29th Dec. 1800.

Before me Joseph Tatlow

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## CAPTAIN JOHN GARRIT'S COMPANY

A list of Capt. John Garrit's Company in Christiana Hundred as they stand Classed commanded by Colo. Thos. Duff 1778

1st Class
George Sterns
David Jemmison
James Russell
Isaac Smith
Jesse Glancey
William Gregg
William Walters
Henry Nicols
Jacob Greaves
Stephen Logue
Isaac Hollingsworth
George Reed
James McCollum
David Boyd 15

2d Class
William Moore
Peter Baker
Strange Gold
John Smith
Jacob Anderson
Jonathan Greaves
Samuel Shirley
John Philips
Stephen Simonson
Christopher Chandler
Emor Hollingsworth
John Henning
James Blumer
Nathaniel Hollingsworth
William Patterson 15

3rd Class
Charles Springer of Jas.
Abraham Gregg
Samuel Smith
John Anderson
Samuel Templeton
Andrew Yetman
Samuel Hail
John Langley
William Underwood
Samuel Little
James Carnahan
Abel Chaffin
John Hollingsworth
William Smith
George Gregson
William Campbell

4th Class
Isaac Hendrickson
John Garret Jun.
Francis Shields
Robert Pierce Jun.
Swithen Chandler
Isaac Underwood
Richard Wilson
George Wilson
William Simmons
John Gregg
Francis Dennison
Thomas Chandler of Thos.
Jesse Aldridge
Robert Gray
John Murry 15

5th Do
David Gillilan
Frederick Stern
John Underwood
John Haun
Samuel Walker
Peter Martin
John Jordan
Samuel Greaves
Stephen Mendenhall
Richard Buckinham
Caleb Kirk
Edward Dunn
George Gothrop
Samuel Gregg
John Harper
Jonathan Thatcher 16

6th Do
Archibald Armstrong
Thomas Robinson
Thomas Smith
Abner Bradford
Daniel Cloud
William Simonson
Jesse Chandler, of Thos
William Wilson
Isaac Chandler
James Brindley
John Moore
Abraham Alderdice
John Younger
Thomas Hollingsworth
John Goff
James Haverland 16

7th Do
Samuel Galbraith
Richard Jemmison
Mathew Anderson
Strange Backhouse
James Rice
Silas Gregg
Samuel Nicols
John Bratton
Christopher Hollinsgworth
David Hoolahan
Samuel Richmond
Jeremiah Smith
George Casley
William Baldwin
John Hendrickson Jun. 15

8th Do
Thomas Langley
Curtis Langley
John Baldwin
David Carnahan
William Cloud
James Smith
Joseph Lobb
Peter Durnall
Henry Dickson
Caleb Sharpless
David Greaves
John Ward
George Starn
John Clark
Thomas Jones
Samuel Mee 16

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## NORTH DIVISION OF THE BOROUGH OF WILMINGTON

1st Class Commanded by:
Joseph Shipley
Mathew Crips
Archibald Little
Frederick Craig
Mathias Jennet
Ellis Newlin
Adam Williamson
William Taylor
John Yarnell
Thomas Litler
James Daugherty
Jonas Peterson

2d Do
Joseph Lawson
John Justice
John Gilmore
James Lea Jur.
John Yarnall
Samuel Hogg
Samuel Canby
Israel Brown
Robert Bird
John Stilley
William Foot
Benjamin McLean
Elias Hillam
Joseph Hedge

3rd Do
Nathan Wood
Bancroft Woodcock
Isaac Jaquett
Josiah Dawes
Frederick West
Arthur Anderson
Cyrus Newlin
Obediah Dingee
Joseph Springer
Abraham Ford
Mordacai Woodward
Henry Naff
Michael Wolf

4th Class
Job Harvey
Samuel Hollingsworth
John Martin
Joseph West
Barney C. Harris
Samuel Shipley
Jonathan Rumford
Allen Robinet
David Donaldson
John Hill
Richard Sandhari
William Fielding
Philip Sliver
James Kean

5th Do
Francis Robinson
Vincent Gilpin
James Marshall
Joseph Warner
John Andrew
John Johnson
Henry Rice
Hance Naff Jur.
John Grubb
Samuel Robinson
Charles Whitelock
James Lilley
James Stenson

6th Do
John Paulson
John McMicken
Joseph Townsend
Thomas Morgan
John Webster
James Fletcher
Henry Wise
James Brown
Andrew Vaneman
Garrett Blackford
James Hall
James Fisher
Abraham Ford

7th Class
George Speakman
Joseph Ashburnham
William Canby
William Shipley Jur.
Isaac Starr
Joseph James
Alexander Porter
James Anderson
Francis Robinson
John Logan
George Taylor
Edward Smith
Joseph Poole

8th Do
William Wilson
James Gilmore
John Hayes
Robert Taylor
Edward Hughs
Andrew Hogg
John Robinson
John Stow
Joseph Smithell
Jonathan Kirk Jun.
Peter Stonemetz
James Bredin
Thomas Plunkit
John McElroy

## WHIG BATTALION

Capt. John James's Company
Whig Battalion

Capt. John James
Lieut. Robert Montgomery
Ensign John Clark
Sarj. John McKanon (McKennan)
Ditto John Herdman
Rank & file
Daniel Lyon
James Montgomery
Saml. Crossan
Fergus Climins (Clements)
William Wilson
Joseph Cannon

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James Black's Compy.
Whig Batalion

Capt. James Black
Lieut. William Kinady
Rank & file
Robert Crawford

Capt. Wm. Moody's Compy.
Whig Battalion

Rank & file
Cornelius Armstrong

Capt. Wm. Rankin's Compy.
Whig Batalion

Capt. Wm. Rankin
Lieut. John Clark
Ens. Edward Roache
Rank & file
Benjn. Boyd
Andw. Boyd
Daniel Bleaney
Matthias Homan
Peter Trury

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## ELECTION OF OFFICERS

At an Election held———for officers to Suply ye Vacancys ocationed by Capt. Wattson's being advanced—held October 31st. 1778.

Capt. Alexander Thompson
1st Lt. Nathaniel Kerr
2nd Lt. John Townsend
Surg. Thomas McCrea

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Trap 23rd Febry, 1778.

According to Orders of Colonel Thomas McDonough Esq. of the third Batalion of Militia in New Castle County in the Delaware State for Capt. Wm. Moody's Company to meet & Elect Two Subaltern Officers by Ballot.

The Company met According to Order and chose Alexander McDonald Second Lieutenant & Mr William Smith Jur. Ensign, by a Majority of Votes, According to Law.

His Excellency George Read Esq.
Vice President &c. of the
Delaware State—

HENRY FORSTER, Lt Colo..

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## ELECTION OF OFFICERS

At an Election held in White (Clay) creek hundred for Officers in the Company formerly commanded by Capt, James Black the following persons were elected viz.

David Montgomery, Caprt .
1st Lt. Jacob Moore
2nd Lt. John Nivin
Ensign James Boggs Sen.
Commissions to be dated 24th Spet. 78

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Captain Weath Dr to David Henderson

| | | |
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| Apriel | To playing the 11th | In all £1 10 0 |
| | To playing the 25th | |
| May 16th | To playing the fife | |
| | To playing the 28th To playing the 12th of June | |
| | To playing the 24th To playing the 29th | |
| | To playing when the litnen infintray was ret | |

On back of paper

1777

May 27th. Received from Capt. Thos. Witherspoon the sum of 30/ for attendance on his and Capt Ellis's Company last Summer as pr the within acct. being 8 days at 3/9 pr day.

1. 10. 0 DAVID HENDERSON.

February 1st. 1779.

Examination of Sundry persons Respecting a Quantity of tea taken out of a Store of William Armstrongs, belonging to a prize taken by Colo. Pope & party.

John Pettygrew Examined Saith

That about two Months ago he saw Jacob Allen Sell one pound of tea to Joseph Patterson's Wife.

Jacob Allen Examined Saith

That about the above time he bought a Quantity of Tea from Sergeant Oliver Rock for three dollars, & mending a lock for him & requested him not to mention to any person of his selling the tea.

Martha Millan Examined Saith

That one Sunday (in the Month of July to the best of Her Knowledge) Oliver Rock came to her House, and gave her some tea Out of his Jacket pocket, she thinks about three or four ounces, which She Received as a present from Him.

Susannah Bray (when the Guard House was Examined) was found In her Custody upwards of one pound of tea, one Quarter of which she says she bought at Wilmington in a store next door to the Quaker School House.

Oliver Rock Examined Saith

That he never knew of any tea being taken out Except by Ensign Skillington & Sergeant Oram.

Mr. Ezekiel Eaton Examined Saith

That when Acting as Forage Master in Newark did at Several times give the keys to Oliver Rock to Issue forage in the same House where Colonel Popes goods were lodged.

Ann Patterson's Examination saith that some time last summer Serjant Oliver Rock made a present of about one quarter of tea, and a certain Susanna Bray informed her that Serjt. Rock used to carry tea to sell, and that Mrs. Patterson bought one pound of tea from Jacob Allen for which she gave 5 Dolls. & 1 lb of candles.

ARRANGEMENT of the OFFICERS of the DELAWARE REGT. from 1st. Jany. 1777, to this day August 29th, 1778

| NAME | Rank | Date of Commission | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|
| John Hazlet..... | Col. | Jan. 13th, 1776 | Killed 3rd. Jany. 77 at Princetown |
| David Hall..... | Captn. | do 15th. 76 | Appointed Col. 5th. April 1777 |
| Charles Pope..... | Do | do 17th. 76 | Appointed Lt. Col. April 5th. 77 |
| Joseph Vaughan..... | Do | do 20th. 76 | Appointed Major April 5th. 77 |
| John Patten..... | Do | Nov.30th. 76 | |
| Robt. Kirkwood..... | Do | Dec. 1st. 76 | |
| James Moore..... | Do | do 2nd. 76 | taken Prisoner 16th. Jany. 1778 |
| Enoch Anderson..... | Do | do 3rd. 76 | |
| Thos. Holland..... | Do | do 4th. 76 | died 13th. Oct. 1777 of his wounds recd. at Germantown Battle |
| Gennathan Harney..... | 1st Lt. | Jan. 15th. 76 | taken Priso. on Long Island 27. Aug. 76, Neglected by Commr. in 2nd Appt. 76 |
| John Learmonth..... | 1st Lt. | Nov.28th. 76 | Appointed Capt. 5th. Apl. 1777 |
| Alexr. Stewart..... | 1st. Lt. | do 29th. 76 | taken Priso. on Long Island 27. Aug. 76, Neglected by Commr. in 2nd Appt. 76 |
| Cord Hazard..... | 1st Lt. | do 30th. 76 | Appointed Capt. Apl. 5th. 1777, resigned 27. Jan. 1778 |
| John Wilson..... | 1st Lt. | Dec. 1st. 76 | |
| Wm. Vaughan..... | 1st Lt. | do 2nd 76 | died 22nd, March 77 of his wounds at Brunswick Dec. 1st. 1776 |
| John Corse..... | 1st Lt. | do 3rd. 76 | |
| John Rhodes..... | 1st. Lt. | do 4th. 76 | |
| Peter Jaquett..... | 2d. Lt. | Nov.27th. 76 | Appointed Capt. 5th. Apl. 77 |
| George Bush..... | 2d. Lt. | do 28th. 76 | never accepted his Commission |
| Wm. McKennan..... | 2d. Lt. | do 29th. 76 | Appointed 1st. Lt. 5th. Apl. 1777 |
| Danl. P. Cox..... | 2d. Lt. | do 30th. 76 | Do Do Do Do Do |
| Richard Wilds..... | 2d. Lt. | Dec. 1st. 76 | Do Do Do Do Do resigned 15th. August 1778 |
| Coe Gordon..... | 2d. Lt. | do 2nd. 76 | Resigned 4th. April 1777 |
| George Purvis..... | 2d. Lt. | do 3rd. 76 | Entitled to 1st. Lt. from 14th Oct. 77, Appointed Adjutant 16th. Aug. 1778 |
| John Erksine..... | 2d. Lt. | do 4th. 76 | Never accepted the Commission |
| Paul Qeunoualt..... | Ensign | Nov.27th. 76 | Appointed 2nd. Lt. 5th. Apl. 77, entitled 1st. Lt. 28th. Jan. 1778 |
| James Bratton..... | do | do 28th. 76 | Appointed 2nd Lt. 5th. April 1777, entittled to a 1st. Lt. 16th. Aug. 1778 |
| Henry Duff..... | do | do 29th. 76 | Do Do Do |
| Caleb Brown..... | do | do 30th. 76 | Do Do Do |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Griffith Jordan..... | do | Dec. 1st. 76 | Do Do Do resigned 6th. Oct. 1777 |
| Joseph Wilds..... | do | do 2nd. 76 | Do Do Do Do 15th. Aug. 1778 |
| John Hyatt..... | do | do 3rd. 76 | Do Do Do taken Prisoner 26th. April 1778 |
| Benj. McLane..... | do | do 4th. 76 | Entitled to a 2nd. Lt. from 7th. Oct. 1777, resigned 20th. May 1778 |
| John Batson..... | do | Apl. 5th. 77 | Do Do 14th. Do |
| Thos. Berry..... | do | do 5th. 77 | Do Do 28th. Jan. 1778 |
| Jas. Campbell..... | do | do 5th. 77 | Do Do 21st. May 1778 |
| Caleb Bennett..... | do | do 5th. 77 | Do Do 16th. Aug. 1778 |
| Josh. Hosman..... | do | do 5th. 77 | Do Do 16th. Aug. 78 |
| Elij. Skillington..... | do | do 5th. 77 | |
| Chas. Kidd..... | do | do 5th. 77 | |
| Jas. Lucas..... | Adjt. | Nov.27th. 76 | resigned 15th. Aug. 1778 |

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## REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO SETTLE THE PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

The Committee of the General Assembly of Delaware appointed for the purpose of settling and adjusting public accounts report, that they have carefully examined the Accts. exhibited to them and find due from this State to the persons herein named for public services the following sums of money.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 1 | To James Adams Printer as per a/c | £ 426.15. 0 |
| 2 | To Capt Alexander Porter for his Services as a commissioner to extend the Division lines of the Hundred in this State | 7.10. 0 |
| 3 | To John Thelwell for bringing Laws from Lancaster to Wilmington | 6.15. 0 |
| 4 | To Major James Raymond acct. for pay and rations | 115. |
| 5 | To John Wiltbank Esq. signing the last Emission of paper currency | 30.09.05 |
| 6 | To John McKinly Esq. cash advanced for public service | 2579.02.09 |
| 7 | To Nicholas Vandyke Esq. expenses attending Congress | 264.00.00 |
| 8 | To David Few for making the great Seal | 50.00.00 |
| 9 | To Richard Butler copying divers Laws | 13.10.00 |
| 10 | To Dr. Samuel McCall rent of a manse for magazine | 19.11.08 |
| 11 | To George McCall for making cartridges & finding paper | 14.15. |
| 12 | To Jonathan McKnatt do | 9. |
| 13 | To Thomas Janvier for attending Signal Guns | 45. 6. 7 |
| 14 | To John Laws Esq. for signing emission of paper currency | 19. 5. 5 |
| 15 | To John Wiltbank Bal due him as Military Treas | 9. 3.10 |
| 16 | To Jonathan Wolfe for sundries furnished divers prisoners | 37. 5.10 |
| 17 | To William McClay Commissary for the Militia in New Castle Co | 173. 8. 3 |
| 18 | To Lieut. John Rhoads of the Delaware Reg. sundry accounts | 59.17. 6 |
| 19 | To Capt. Cord Hazzard boarding & nursing soldiers | 11.02. 6 |
| 20 | To Capt. Cord Hazzard Pay & sub. of his Independent Company | 276.08. 8 |
| 21 | To Capt. John Carson do do do do | 143.10.10 |
| 22 | To James Booth Esq. Clothing furnished for Del. Reg | 283. 6.02 |
| 23 | To ditto sundry service | 74.00. 1 |
| 24 | To John Clark Esq. for services | 40. . |
| 25 | To French Battel acct. of expenses | 81.01. |
| 26 | To Capt. Nathl. Waples Services in the Militia | 7.02.06 |
| 27 | To Capt. Mark McCall Services in the Militia & bal. of Pay Roll | 34.19.04 |
| 28 | To Additional amount to James Booth | 5.05. |
| 29 | To Philip Barrett Esq. sundry services | 20. |
| 30 | To Capt. Isaac Carty expenses for his Troop | 21.03.09 |
| 31 | To William McClay spirits furnished Col. Bedford & Major Bryan | 10. |
| 32 | To Edward Cole to riding express for Richard Lockwood Esq. | 1.10. |
| 33 | To John Craven for sundries furnished ye Militia | 15.16. 7 |
| 34 | To Charles Ridgely Medicine for divers Prisoners of the U. States | 32.09. |
| | | £4938.11.10 |

Your Committee do also report that having examined an acct. of John Bullin comissary of purchases and issues, for that part of the Whig Battalion Stationed at Dover in Kent Co., they find a Ballance remaining in the hands of the said John Bullin and due to the State the sum of thirty one pounds fourteen shillings and three pence.

They also report that they have examined the Accts. of John Banning Esq. for sundries furnished the Gun -smith in the service of this State and find a balance in the hands of the said John Banning and due this State the sum of three pounds nine shillings and four pence, and that the sum of £19.18.2 which was paid by the said John Banning to Robinson Stevens Shff. of Dorset County in the State of Maryland for John Watkins the Armorer afsd. he deducted out of the pay of Sd. Armourer. &c. &c.

In the House of Assembly, Thursday P. M. Jany. 18th, 1779. The foregoing Report, being read, examined and considered, article by article, was approved of

NICH'S. VANDYKE, Speaker.

RICHD. LOCKWOOD,
JOSHUA CLAYTON
SIMON KOLLOCK
PETER HYATT
JOHN BANING

## CAPTAIN ISAAC LEWIS'S COMPANY

A list of capt. Lewis's Compny,

Captn. Isaac Lewis
Lieut. David Howell
1 Griffith Griffith
2 John Evans
3 Wm. Fairis
4 Abel Holland
5 Wm. Thompson Sen.
6 John Brown
7 David Tweedy
8 Archd. Boyd
9 Richd, Neal
10 Wm. Thompson Jun.
11 Charles Reiley
12 Robt. Moore
13 John Stewart
14 Wm. Moore
15 Nathl. McCoy
16 Wm. McKinley
17 Daniel Thomas
18 Thos. Jenkins
19 Wm. Gutry
20 Danl. Hughes
21 James McMullin
22 Rees Evans
23 James Reaper
24 John Price
25 Benjamin Alexander?
26 Archd. McClean
27 Wm. Bunker
28 John Moore
29 Archd. McAllister
30 Benj. Underwood
31 Wm. McGaughey
32 Thomas Whitelock
33 Wm. Wardell
34 James Williams
35 John Spence
36 John Culbertson
37 Saml. Fairis
38 Wm. Culbertson
39 Alexr. Fairis
40 John Torrence
41 James Baker
42 James Davidson
43 James Dunlap
44 Robt. Sproul
45 Wm. Whann
46 David Williams
47 David Reese
48 Henry Clark
49 Isaac Williams
50 Andrew Muldray
51 Wm. Milligan
52 Jacob Fairis
53 John Holland
54 John Neal
55 Alexr. Moore
56 Amos Barnes
57 Willm. Murdock
58 Jesse Bower
59 Alexr. Houston
60 Matthew Riley

Light horse men
1 Jacob Fairis
2 David Thomas
3 Andrew Allison
4 Lewis Miller
5 Joseph Thomas
6 Alexr. Adair
7 John Fairis
8 Roger William
9 Thos. David
10 Ebenz. Rodwell
James Thompson

I do hereby Certify tha the above & foregoing List are the names of the Officers & Privates which were with me on the Expedition to Thorough Fair Neck and at the taking of the several vessels in Duck Creek in Nov. 1777, which were Afterwards Libeled in my Name & Condemned as Prizes and Sold by James Booth Esq. Marshall of Admiralty for the Delaware State in the Month of June 1778 or thereabouts.

Witness my hand 4th. Sept. 1789.

ISAAC LEWIS.

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## A PAY ROLL (part of paper missing)

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | William Wells | | 9. 0. 0 |
| | Joshua Hart | paid by Joseph Taylor | 9. 0. 0 |
| | Darius Byrnes | | 9. 0. 0 |
| | | Capt. Charles Nixon's Company | |
| Serg. | Amos Hartshorn | paid | 13.10. 0 |
| Corpl. | Richard Furbush | paid | 9.18. 0 |
| Privates | | | |
| | James Barry | paid | 9. 0. 0 |
| | Jesse Fiddy | | 9. 0. 0 |
| | Charles Huston | paid | 9. 0. 0 |
| | John Cooper | pd by Mr. Cummins | 9. 0. 0 |
| | Daniel McElroy | | 9. 0. 0 |
| | Giles Wilson White | | 9. 0. 0 |
| | William Notts | | 9. 0. 0 |
| | Thomas Greenwood | paid by Jos. Taylor | 9. 0. 0 |

On back of paper, Pay Roll of 1780

## LIST OF THE SUMS PAID AS COLLECTED FROM MR. BARRETS RECT. BOOK

1780

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Febru | 16 | 1 | John Casson, Pay & Sub. Militia | 143 | 3 | 19 |
| March | 7 | 2 | John Gray, Pay & Sub Militia in Cont. Service | 172 | 2 | 6 |
| March | 15 | 3 | Francis Manny by Caleb Sipple Pay | 186 | 15 | 0 |
| Februy | 16 | 4 | James Raymond Pay & Sub. Militia in Cont. Service | 50 | 3 | |
| April | 24 | 5 | Elijah Berry Do Do Do | 179 | 15 | 10 |
| Februy | 16 | 6 | Capt. Dalinar rec. by William Hudson Pay & Sub Militia | 122 | 17 | 1 |
| March | 18 | 7 | Caleb Furbee | 102 | 17 | |
| Feby | 18 | 8 | William Brown Pay & Sub. Militia Contl. Service | 29 | 16 | 4 |
| May | 12 | 9 | Morgan Blackshare | 45 | 16 | 8 |
| Feby. | 16 | 10 | Jacob Stout Pay & Sub. Militia Contl. Service | 36 | 8 | |
| Feby. | 16 | 12 | Thomas Hale Pay of Militia in Contl. Service | 104 | 9 | 1 |
| Feby. | 17 | 13 | James Bellach Do Do Do | 92 | 9 | 5 |
| March | 3 | 15 | Joseph Caldwell by John Getty | 526 | 16 | 4 |
| Feby. | 16 | 16 | Silas Snow recd. by James Raymond Pay & Sub. | 21 | 5 | 9 |
| March | 6 | 18 | William Morris Pay & Sub. Militia Contl. Service | 72 | 13 | 1 |
| March | 6 | 19 | Christopher Denny Pay & Sub. Militia Contl. Service | 53 | 1 | 11 |
| March | 7 | 17 | Edward Reese by James Townshend | 24 | 2 | 6 |
| | | 20 | Included in No. 3 | 12 | 13 | 0 |
| March | 7 | 21 | Isaac Griffith Pay & Sub. Militia Contl. Service | 29 | 0 | 9 |
| March | 7 | 22 | Samuel West Pay & Sub. Militia Contl. Service | 44 | 3 | 10 |
| Februy | 16 | 23 | Benjamin Caton Pay & Sub. Militia Contl. Service | 55 | 2 | 0 |
| Mareh | 7 | 24 | Lewis James Townshend | 36 | 11 | 10 |
| Mar | 7 | 25 | Capt. Corney by James Townshend | 18 | 11 | 19 |
| Mar | 7 | 26 | James Townshend | 12 | 16 | 7 |
| Feby. | 18 | 27 | Benjamin Gibbs | 23 | 10 | |
| Februy | 18 | 29 | John Bell | 149 | 7 | |
| March | 7 | 30 | David Gordon by James Townshend | 3 | 17 | 9 |
| Feby | 16 | 32 | Alexr. Worknot recd. by Thomas Collins | 9 | 6 | |
| Feby. | 16 | 35 | Richard Wells | 87 | | |
| Feby. | 16 | 36 | Joshua Morton Jun. recd. by Thos. Collins | 20 | | |
| Feby. | 16 | 37 | John Banning | 27 | 18 | 5 |
| Feby. | 16 | 39 | Thomas Skillington | 9 | 15 | 0 |
| March | 7 | 40 | William Jordan by James Townshend | 11 | 3 | 6 |
| Feby. | 16 | 41 | Thomas Collins | 65 | 4 | 10 |
| Feby. | 16 | 42 | Richard Lockwood Pay & Sub. Militia Contl. Service | 99 | 16 | 6 |
| Feby. | 16 | 46 | William Hudson | 5 | 10 | 1 |
| | | | Field & Staff | | | |
| Feby. | 18 | | William Rhoads Col. | 36 | 8 | |
| | 18 | | F Battel | 29 | 5 | |
| | | | Benjamin Gibbs Adjutant | 28 | 10 | 9 |
| | | | William Jordan | | | |

## LIST OF RECEIPTS TAKEN BY PHILIP BARRET ESQ. Deceased

Extracted from a Receipt Book kept by him for money paid away by order of the General Assembly. Viz.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Thomas Collins, Feb. 16th, 1780 | for his own Amts | 65 | 4 | 10 |
| | for Alex. Worknott | 9 | 6 | 0 |
| | for Joshua Morton | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| | | 94 | 10 | 10 |
| James Raymond | for his own & Silas Snow's Amt | 71 | 8 | 9 |
| Jacob Stout | for his Militia Amts | 36 | 8 | 0 |
| Richard Lockwood | Do | 99 | 16 | 6 |
| John Banning | Do | 27 | 18 | 5 |
| Wm. Hudson | for Capt. Dalliner Amt | 122 | 17 | 0 |
| | for his own Amount | 5 | 10 | 0 |
| John Casson | for militia Amounts | 143 | 10 | 10 |
| Richard Wells | Waggonage for Whig Battalion and for Militia Services | 87 | 0 | 0 |
| | | 689 | 0 | 4 |
| Thomas Skillington | for supplies to Militia | 9 | 15 | 0 |
| Benjamin Caton | for Militia Amounts | 55 | 2 | 10 |
| Thomas Hales | for Militia Services | 104 | 9 | 1 |
| James Beleach | for Militia | 92 | 9 | 5 |
| John Bell | for Militia | 140 | 7 | 0 |
| Benjamin Gibbs | for Waggonage & wages as Staff Officer | 52 | 0 | 0 |
| | | 1143 | 4 | 5 |
| William Rhodes 18th, 1780 | Public Service | 36 | 8 | 0 |
| French Battell | Do | 29 | 5 | 0 |
| William Brown | Pay Roll | 29 | 16 | 4 |
| John Getty for Joseph Caldwell | for Militia Services | 526 | 16 | 4 |
| William Morris | for Militia do | 72 | 13 | 1 |
| Christopher Denny | for do do | 53 | 11 | 1 |
| Jehu Townsend | for his own Amt | 12 | 16 | 7 |
| | Capt. Edwd. Rees | 24 | 2 | 6 |
| | William Jordan | 11 | 3 | 6 |
| | Capt. Curry | 18 | 11 | 9 |
| | Lieut. Dl. Lewis | 36 | 11 | 10 |
| | Lieut. David Gordon | 3 | 17 | 9 |
| Isaac Griffin. | Militia Services | 29 | 0 | 9 |
| Samuel West | do | 44 | 3 | 10 |
| Joseph David's Amount<br>John Bell's Merchants Amt.<br>Lieut. William Wells | not brought | | | |
| John Gray | | 172 | 2 | 6 |
| Caleb Sipple | for Francis Manny | 186 | 15 | 0 |
| Caleb Furbee | for Militia Services | 102 | 17 | 0 |
| Elijah Berry Apl. 24th | do | 179 | 15 | 10 |
| Morgan Blackshear | do | 45 | 16 | 8 |
| Caleb Furbee | for hire of men | 103 | 15 | 0 |
| | David Lewis 33. 4. 0, John Edmonds 24. 18. 0 | 58 | 2 | 0 |
| | Negro George Berry 24. 18. 0, Harry Berry 16. 12. 0, Thoas. Sipple | 66 | 8 | 0 |
| | | 2987 | 5 | 7 |

## LIST OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND PRIVATE SOLDIERS FROM FIRST OF JANUARY, 1777

| PERSONS NAMES | TIME OF ENLIST-MENT | January, 1777 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1778 | February | March | April | May | June | July |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Seth Brooks | 3d Jany 77 | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Wm. Brown | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Bostridge | 22d Mch 77 | | | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | | | | | | |
| Jeremiah Bryan | 2d Mch 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dan'l Boyer | 2d Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno. Bently | Feb. 77 | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Bing. Beach | 24 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jacob Burton | May 77 (78) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Benj. Bond | | | | | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Mordica Berrey | May 77 | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Bradley Sen | | | | | | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 11 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Burris | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Lanty Barns | | | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 15 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joshua Brown | 28 Mch 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Gillis Bennett | 14 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno. Baxter | 12 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Elisha Brown | 8 Dec. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Bennet | 2d Mch 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pat'k Burk | Dec. 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Bennet | Dec. 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Charles Boyl | 1 Jany 77 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Blaney | 3d do | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ebenezer Blackshire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Joseph Brown | 15 Jany 77 | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 25 | | | | | | | |
| James Brown | 2d Feb. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 26 | | | | | |
| John Benson | 5 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Benini | 14 Feb. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 14 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Barns | 29 Jany 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Samuel Bass | 22 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nathanl. Bowers | 14 Oct. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Charles Berry | 12 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Levi Bright | 25 do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| David Black | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Black | 10 May 77 | | | | | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Brown | 7 Ditto | | | | | 24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ezekiel Brady | 17 Dec. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Stephen Brown | 31 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 13 |
| Willm. Bowen | 28 Apr 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 14 |
| Canady Bay | Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Bailey | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| John Burcham | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 17 |

## OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT FOR THE DEPRECIATION OF PAY TO FIRST OF AUGUST, 1780

| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.27 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | 19. 0 | Not Intl.d |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8.14 | Do |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1. 5 | Do |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 14. 0 | Died in Jan. 80 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38. 0 | Taken prisoner & refused exchange |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12. 7 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | 30.11 | Died |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38 . | Taken prisoner & inl with enemy |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2.24 | Not Enitled |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16.2 | Disched 3 June 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2.22 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 8 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 17 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 8 | | | | | | | 5.25 | Died 6 Jany 80 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Ditto |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8. 0 | Not Entitld. |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4. 7 | Died in May 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 29. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3.25 | Died 25 Dec. 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 14.17 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28.26 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 29.14 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.09 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 17 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 9.17 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Not known |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Killed at Gilford |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 29. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38.21 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3.24 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8.13 | Died Nov. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3.13 | Deserted |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3.16 | |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6.0 | Died in 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 18.17 | |

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| PERSONS NAMES | TIME OF ENLIST-MENT | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| John Carr | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Peter Croft | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Crawford | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Daniel Coughrin | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| Valentine Camford | | | | | | | | | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Christopher Cooke | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Cunningham | | | | | | 1 | 13 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Carson | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Cornal | 9 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| George Clifton | 13 Mch 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 17 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Collings | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Edward Conner | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Coughrin | 11 Jany 77 | 19 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Herman Clark | 17 Mch. 77 | | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Robt. Casson | 8 Do | | | 22 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 22 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Timothy Conoley | 29 Sept 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nathn. Cariman | 14 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Correy | 27 May 77 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Cavender | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | |
| George Conoley | Ditto | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jonathan Cook* | 3 Feb. 77 | | 25 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Alexander Clark | 7 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 23 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Clifton | 1 Jany 77 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Cooley | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Cazier | 12 Apr 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 18 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Alexr. Crawford | 25 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Cadey | 6 Mch 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 25 | 1 | 1 | 1 | |
| John Conoley | 12 Feb. 77 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Casson | 20 Jany 77 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Wm. Clayton | 5 Novem 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Corse | 19 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Cullin | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| John Crozeby | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12 | | | | | | |
| Alexr. Crawford | 12 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Woodgate Collings | | | | | | 1 | 12 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jonathan Cooke | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Colin Campbell | 6 Apr. 78 | | | | 25 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | |

*Kirkwoods May 1778

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| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3. 0 | Deserted 3 Jan. 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10. 0 | Not Entitled |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 23.10 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 8. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1.13 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 22 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.22 | Killed 17 Jan. 81 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28.17 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | Enlisted with the Enemy |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.19 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 40.13 | Joined ye Enemy |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5.14 | Missing 22 Aug. 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Not known |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 15.17 | Died 17 Apr. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8. 0 | Deserted 25 Aug. 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41.25 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27.23 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Not known |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27.18 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16. 6 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3.25 | Not known |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.11 | Dead |
| | | | | | | | | | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12.12 | Died |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 26. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12.12 | Died 12 Jan. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Deserted 5 May 79 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1.12 | Died 12 June 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4.25 | Deserted |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Samuel Cross | | | | | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Cayton | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Darbey Carter | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Nathaniel Cox | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Isaac Carvel | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Clark | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Cox | 3d Jan. 77 | 28 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jacob Cook | | | | | 24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Crocket | 24 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| George Carney | 29 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Cook | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Michail Curshaw | May 77 | | | | | | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Castle | | | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Zebulen Cole | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Matthew Cox | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| George Collings | 10 May 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 20 | 1 | 1 |
| Charles Conoley | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Charles Coulter | 27 Feb. 77 | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Timothy Cooke | 10 Jany 77 | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Carson | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Cooke | 18 Feb. 77 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Richard Coffiel | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Levin Culver | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 20 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Benj. Coverdale | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Crampton | 5 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Culver | 20 Sept 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nathan Currey | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | |
| George Campbell | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | |
| Benjamin Clifton | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | |
| Richard Currypool | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Washington Clifton | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Patrick Coleman | in June 77 | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Clark | | | | | | | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| Thomas Clark | in June 77 | | | | | | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Currey | 10 Apr. 77 | | | | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Conner | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Campbell | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Hugh Coffiel | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38.11 | |
| | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 23 | | | | | | | 13.23 | Deserted 24 Feb.79 joined in Aug. 81 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16.10 | Died Aug. 1778 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9. 0 | Died in Nov. 79 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | 38. 0 | Transfer.d |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12. 4 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 37.28 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39.24 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 6.7 | Not Entitled |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | 5.0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37.21 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37. 7 | Deserted Jan. 1781 |
| 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. 0 | Not known by any of ye officers |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 18 | | | | | | | | | | 16.18 | Dischg'd 18 Oct. 79 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 26.20 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 29. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 2 | Deserted Jan. 80 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.21 | |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16. 0 | Deserted 1 May 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41.11 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 14.20 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 19. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12.26 | Deserted |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10.11 | Died June 81 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3. 0 | Not known |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7. 0 | Ditto |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7. 0 | Not Entitled |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | Died Aug. 81 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38. 0 | |
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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37.27 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | 39.21 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 28. 2 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |

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| Thomas Durant | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Charles Durnet | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Donaldson | 16 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Demar | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Drew | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| Eli Dodd | 20 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Dougherty | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| Willm. Dowds | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Patrick Dunn | 16 July 77 | | | | | | | 15 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| David Davis | 20 Oct. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Denney | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | 1 | | |
| Samuel Davis | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Dunn | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nathn'l. Dougherty | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| Patrick Davis | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | |
| Benjn. Donohow | 17 Apr. 77 | | | | 14 | 1 | 24 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Andw. Dixon | 18 Do | | | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Donohow | 19 Do | | | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| Isaac Darnel | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| Mickl. Dougherty | 29 May 77 | | | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Andrew Dayley | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Peter Douglass | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 18 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Derrick | 29 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Robt. Dixon | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Davis | 9 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| William Dixon | | | | | | | 19 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Daniel Dayley | 2 Mar. 77 | | | 28 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Robt. Downs | 2 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 28 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Dunklin | | | | | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Dowers | | | | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | |
| Willm. Davison | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Robert Dyer | 4 Jan. 77 | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Laughlin Duffin | 7 Feb. 77 | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mathew Dorman | 7 Apr. 77 | | | | 24 | 1 | 22 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Alex. Delap | 17 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dennis Dempsey | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Hugh Donaly | 4 Jan. 77 | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Michl. Dumont | 7 Feb. 77 | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Patk. Dorsey | 24 May 77 | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Dunn | | 16 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Charles Dowds | 6 Jany. 77 | 24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Dougherty | 12 Feb. 77 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SamuellDodd | 18 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Richd. Davis | 4 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thos. Dayley | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |

## OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT FOR THE DEPRECIATION OF PAY TO FIRST OF AUGUST, 1780

| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 25 | | | | | | | 9. 0 | Deserted 24 Feb.79 |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| 1 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 26. 0 | Killed 15 Mch 81 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.10 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 15. 0 | Dischg. 3 June 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 28.26 | Deserted 26 July 79 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 30.15 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 9.10 | Died in Aug. 1780 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1.10 | Not known |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13. 0 | Deserted 12 May78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8. 0 | Ditto 1 Jany 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2. 8 | Ditto 24 June 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39.13 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11.12 | Deserted 1 Apr. 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. 0 | Not entitled |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38. 2 | Deserted 1 June 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38. 0 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6.18 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12. 2 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Not known |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.21 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37.19 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 40.28 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27.28 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 19.11 | Deserted 1 Dec. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 15. 9 | Not Entitled |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 7. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.26 | Missing 22 Aug. 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8. 2 | Ditto 11 Sept. 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2.16 | Ditto 22 June 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 14 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12.14 | Joined the Enemy |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 36.26 | Deserted Jan 80 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 37.21 | Ditto |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38. 7 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27 | | | | | | | | 35.13 | Deserted 27 Dec.79 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.24 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.13 | Died |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.27 | Joined the Enemy |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11. 0 | |

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| PERSONS NAMES | TIME OF ENLIST-MENT | January, 1777 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1778 | February | March | April | May | June | July |
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| D | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Duffin | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Anthony Delarose | 23 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Dawson | Jany. 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| E | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| David Ellis | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Joseph Emerson | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Everite | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jenkin Evans | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Edward Edwards | | | | | | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| Willm. Engley | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| Barthol. English | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Evans | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Emory | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Michl. Elwood | 9 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno. Eashom | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Robert English | 26 Feb. 77 | | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Danl. Ellis | 17 Feb. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jas. Emerton | 18 June 77 | | | | | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| F | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Alexr. Flowers | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Ferguson | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| George Fink | | | | | | | 14 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Robert Ferguson | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| William Fish | 27 Nov. 77 | | | | | | | | | | | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Cato Feagon | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 13 | | |
| Thomas Flinn | 30 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Johnson Fleetwood | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 15 | | |
| Bartley Flinn | | | | | | 2 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John C. Foplis | | | | | | | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Forbus | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Hugh Fleming | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Charles Figgs | 5 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Fleming | | | | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| Willm. Foster | 21 Jan. 77 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Garret Fagon | 1 Do | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 16 |
| Thos. Firman | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Charles Freeman | 3 Oct. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Patrick Flinn | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Finch | 2d Feb. 77 | | 27 | 1 | 1 | 13 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Christopher Fisher | 5 Nov. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jacob Finley | 20 July 77 | | | | | | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Elis Flowers | | | | | | | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Forbus | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

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| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 23. 0 | Deserted 1 May 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 8 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12. 8 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9.11 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8. 0 | Ditto |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | 19.17 | Ditto |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. 0 | Not known |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 22 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.22 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3. 3 | Deserted 1 June 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37.13 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 18.14 | Died |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | 33. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 32. 4 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12. 9 | Deserted 14 June78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12.15 | Deserted 16 May 7 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1. 2 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37.10 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 31. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9.26 | Died Feby 79 |
| | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27.26 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | 30.18 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 17.16 | Dischgd 16 Jun 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Deserted 4 May 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 28 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 9.28 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | Ditto |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3. 0 | Died 17 May 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 36.11 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37. 9 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | Discharged |

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| G | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Michael Green | 5 Apr. 77 | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Gorman | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Curtis Griffin | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Gaspord | 14 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| William Griffith | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thomas Gorden | 1 Apr. 77 | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Cornelius Grimes | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Isaac Griffith | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| William Grau | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Nathn. Garret | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 22 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Charles Gouther | 2d Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 29 | | | | |
| Richd. Garret | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Christr. Gardner | 24 Feb. 77 | | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 16 | |
| Willm. Gutery | 2d Jan. 77 | 28 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Gore | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Greenwood | 2d Jan. 77 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Gordon | 16 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 21 | | | | |
| James Gamble | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Edwd. Griffin | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Gillis | 23d May 77 | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| H | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Richard Harris | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Herbert | | | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Chas. Hollingsworth | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Holt | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Richd. Hudson | 10 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Highway | 8 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Hannon | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Benj. Hugg | 4 Feb. 77 | | 24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Hosea | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Harper | 22 Jan. 77 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Chas. Hawkins | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Willm. Hagens | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Charles Hamilton | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Robert Hews | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Hamilton | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 28 | | |
| Robt. Heastey | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

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| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39.26 | Joined the Corps of invalids |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. 0 | Dead |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 16 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12.16 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 15. 0 | Ditto |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 36. 0 | Absent without Leave |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | Died |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7.22 | Missing 22 Aug. 77 |
| | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | 15.29 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 28. 0 | Died in 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 15.21 | Deserted 16 Jan 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.28 | Taken Prisoner 22 Aug. 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7. 8 | Deserted, 8 May 77 & joined Mayr 80 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Not known |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0.21 | Desrt'd 27 Mch 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. 0 | Discharged |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 18. 7 | Not known |
| | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 23. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 9 | Ditto in May 80 |
| 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. 0 | Not known |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 20 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 11.20 | Ditto |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 17. 0 | Ditto |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 24. 0 | Ditto |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 26.25 | Do |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 14. 0 | Dischged 1 May 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42. 8 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3.11 | Desertd 12 June 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 40. 0 | Killed 17 Jan. 81 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 40. 0 | Deserted May 80 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | 31. 0 | Ditto |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2.28 | Missing at ye battle of Monmouth |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | Deserted in Apr. 81 |

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| PERSONS NAMES | TIME OF ENLIST-MENT | January, 1777 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1778 | February | March | April | May | June | July |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| William Hoock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Horton | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thomas Harris | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 23 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Holdstone | 4 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Richd, Harrison | | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Hatfield | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Nehema. Hickman | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Geo. Hill | 28 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cassey Hall | 14 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Simy Harwood | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Matthew Hilford | | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Elijah Houston | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Hibbard | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | |
| William Hines | | | | | | 8 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| John Hutchison | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| John Hignet | | | | | | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Joshua Higman | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Daniel Hanley | | | 19 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Kinley Heslet | 3d Jan. 77 | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Absolom Hill | 4 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Husbands | 16 July 77 | | | | | | | 14 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Hill | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Harris | 24 June 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno Hennesey | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cornelis Hegney | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Charles Hayes | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 23 | | | | | | | |
| Willm. Howard | 1 Jan. 77 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thos. Hines | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | | | | | | | | | |
| Edwd, Hollywell | 29 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Hannum | 27 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Leven Hicks | 31 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thos. Higgins | 4 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Robt. Haskins | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Fredk. Holden | 16 Aptr. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Hurley | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Holt | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| John Holt | | | | | | 1 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thomas Hall | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Hill | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Hutson | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |

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| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28.23 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27.27 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 14. 7 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27. 0 | Killed 17 Jan. 81 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8. 0 | Died Nov. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12. 3 | Died Aug. 81 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 17 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.17 | |
| | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41.13 | |
| | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 17. 0 | |
| | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10.08 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11. 0 | Ditto |
| | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37.11 | |
| 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. 0 | Discharged |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41.10 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.27 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8.16 | Died Nov. 79 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 36.14 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28.24 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 13. 7 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Deserted in Mch 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | Killed 15 Mch. 81 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11.23 | Died 23 Dec. 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5. 4 | Died 4 Oct. 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.11 | Deserted in Aug. 80 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12. 4 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11. 0 | Killed 26 Aug. 80 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Died 14 Aug. 79 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 20. 0 | Died N. Windser 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | 15 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 15.15 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2. 0 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. 0 | Died in Captivity |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1. 2 | Died 3d. June 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5. 0 | |

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| PERSONAL NAMES | TIME OF ENLIST-MENT | January, 1777 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1778 | February | March | April | May | June | July |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| I—J | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Adam Johnson | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Eli Ingram | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | |
| Willm. Jones | 28 Feb. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Francis Jones | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jonathan Jourdan | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Eleazer Jackson | 23 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Levi Jackson | 26 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jonathon Ireland | 10 June 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Johnson | 15 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Stanford Jones | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Moses Joab | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 21 | 14 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Benjn. Jones | 31 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Jeffris | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 1 | 1 | 4 | | | | | | | | |
| John Jackson | 27 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Andrew Joab | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | | | | | | | | | |
| John Johnson | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| George Jakes | 5 June 77 | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| K | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| William Keys | | | | | | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| William Keltey | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| William Kelley | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 18 | | | | | | | | | |
| Dennis Kerney | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| James Kelley | 6 Jan. 77 | 25 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| George Knox | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Griffith Kirbey | 14 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Kinley | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Kiney | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Dennis Kean | | | | | | 19 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 19 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Timothy Kilkeney | | | | | | 17 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Herman Knotts | | | | | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Kenney | | | | | | 18 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| Henry Knotts | | | | 11 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 22 | | | | | | | | | | |
| John King | 24 Jan. 77 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Hugh Kelley | 11 Ditto | 20 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno. Kirbey | 12 June 77 | | | | | | 13 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Kinney | 5 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Kiney | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Curtis Kimey | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | | | | | | | | | |
| *John King | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| *John King | 23 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2. 0 | Ditto |
| | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 17. 0 | Ditto in May 80 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38. 0 | Deserted-Returned |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12. 5 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 13.21 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 16 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12.16 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 22. 0 | Deserted 22 June77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. 4 | Dischgd 7 Nov. 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 4 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7. 3 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11.20 | Deserted 20 Apr. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9.26 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38.04 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Died 28 Feb. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Deserted 15 June77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 25 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 16.21 | Dischgd 25 Mch 82 |
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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 23. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4. 8 | Deserted 11 Sept.77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38.17 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 25 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 21. 5 | |
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| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5. 3 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.07 | Discharged |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1.18 | Deserted in Aug.77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.26 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Died in Dec. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5. 5 | Died 5 Oct. 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | |

## LIST OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND PRIVATE SOLDIERS FROM FIRST OF JANUARY, 1777

| PERSONS NAMES | TIME OF ENLIST-MENT | January, 1777 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1778 | February | March | April | May | June | July |
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| Samuel Long | | | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Isaac Landsley | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Neal Livingston | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Peter Lee | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Lovir | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| Dennis Learey | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Samuel Latimore | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Timothy Layfield | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Mitchell Laycatt | 12 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 18 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| William Lewis | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Samuel Lindsey | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| George Lee | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Isaac Lafley | 7 May 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Danl. Lowler | 10 Feb. 77 | | 18 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Dennis Laferty | 3 Mch. 77 | | | 28 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lilliston Layton | 19 Jan. 77 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thos. Larkins | 15 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Willm. Legg | 7 Jan. 77 | 24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Tarence Lamb | 3d. Feb. 77 | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Lihea | | | | | | 20 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Levin Lecatt | 14 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Larbard | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 18 | | | | | | | | |
| John Lewallen | 15 May 77 | | | | | 16 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| William Lewis | 31 Oct. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Neal McCann | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Isaac Michael | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. McConoughey | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Michl. McGinnis | 16 Jan. 77 | 14 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Matthews | 5 Do | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Murphy | 17 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Marshel | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 25 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Edwd. Morris | 22 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| David Miller | | | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Miller | 4 Jan. 77 | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Abrahm. Mears | 1 June 77 | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Patk. McCalister | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Miller | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Moons | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Samuel Miller | 24 June 77 | | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. McNight | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Archibd. McBride | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. McDonald | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| Robt. McFarlin | 12 May 77 | | | | | 19 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. McColough | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno. Midleton | 10 Jan. 77 | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

## OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT FOR THE DEPRECIATION OF PAY TO FIRST OF AUGUST, 1870

| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole the Time | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41.19 | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 16. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11. 6 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 26. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28.18 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | Killed 8 Sept. 81 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | 29. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | 24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | 9.24 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41.18 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0.28 | Deserted in Apr. 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.14 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3. 4 | Deserted 8 May 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38.20 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 16 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.16 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6.16 | Died 16 Nov. 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10.16 | |
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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27. 7 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 25. 0 | Discharged |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 29.14 | Deserted 27 July 79 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 26 | | | | | | 37.21 | Ditto 26 Feb. 79 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 14 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12.14 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13.25 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12. 9 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 6 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.27 | Ditto |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38. 0 | Ditto |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | Ditto |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37. 7 | Joined the British |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 20.19 | Died in Jan. 79 |
| | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 18. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.21 | |

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| PERSONS NAMES | TIME OF ENLIST-MENT | January, 1777 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1778 | February | March | April | May | June | July |
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| Cornels. McLaughlin | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | |
| Edwd. McConnel | 24 Feb. 77 | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | 18 | | | | |
| Jas. McMurdey | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 18 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Patk. McCalley | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | 1 | | |
| Jno. McGunies | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Geo. Martishow | 24 Oct. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Daniel Murrey | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| Jacob McKinley | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | |
| Danl. McDonald | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Patk. McCue | | | | | | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Meradith McGower | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 19 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thos. Mathews | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10 | | | | |
| Benjn. McCue | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Thos. Marine | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Benjn. Moodey | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Joseph Millaway | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Richd. Moore | 4 Feb. 77 | | 24 | 1 | 1 | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Elias Meeker | | | 15 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James McAffee | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Willm. McGuire | 16 Sept. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Willm. Miller | 3 Apr. 77 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Charles McLaughlin | 6 Jan. 77 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| James McClemens | 2d. Apr. 77 | | | 23 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Joseph McDonald | 4 Feb. 77 | | 24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Michl. McGaughagen | 20 Mch. 77 | | | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Thos. Mobury | 26 July 77 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Godfrey G. McKee | 12 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno. KcMennan | 21 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jesper Musiong | 21 Oct. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Roger McCormick | 8 Dec. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Robt. Maxwell | 21 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Murphy | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Maxwell | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. McCann | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Saml. McMurey | 7 Jan. 77 | 23 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Joseph McAfee | 7 Do | 23 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Edwd. Moore | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno. McCabe | 17 Jan. 77 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. McGuyer | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Patk. Mooney | 11 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 19 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John McGill | 17 May 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13 | 1 | 1 |
| Robt. Miller | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Nathanl. McDonald | 9 Jan. 77 | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Elijah Murphy | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Alexr. McDonald | 17 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 14 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Mikhel | 22 Sept. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9. 0 | Discharged |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6.25 | Shot for Desertion |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4.18 | |
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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | 35. 0 | Died in Mch. 80 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 9. 4 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 26. 0 | |
| | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 24. 0 | Des'ted 16 Aug. 80 |
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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16. 4 | Ditto |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3.21 | Deserted |
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| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2. 0 | Dead |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5. 0 | Discharged |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16.7 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 36. 5 | Des'ted & Ret'nd |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 36.21 | Des'ted 10 Jan. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 15. 0 | |
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| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 19.24 | Discharged |
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| | | | | | | | | | | | 19 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | | | | | | | | 4.22 | |
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| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 23 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7.23 | Joined the Enemy |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 43.0 | Dead Apr. 10.80 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 26 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 25.19 | Dis'gd 26 Feb. 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 27.13 | Deserted Feb. 80 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.13 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27.19 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 26.13 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 30. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3.21 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3. 0 | Died in Dec. 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27.14 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10. 9 | Ditto |

## LIST OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND PRIVATE SOLDIERS FROM FIRST OF JANUARY, 1777

| PERSONS NAMES | TIME OF ENLIST-MENT | January, 1777 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1778 | February | March | April | May | June |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Gordon Metcalf | 19 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Marsh | 22 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Moore | 23 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thos. Mason | 19 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Robt. Monday | 8 May 77 | | | | | 22 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | |
| Denis Maannah | 18 Do | | | | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Patk. McCurdy | 21 Do | | | | | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Macklin | 6 June 77 | | | | | | 25 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | |
| Zedk. Morris | 1 Ditto | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Uriah Meridith | 6 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 25 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jas. Murphy | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno. McVickars | | | | | | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 24 | | | |
| Patk. McCorde | 6 Feb. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 22 | 21 | | | |
| Wm. McCode | 6 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 22 | 21 | | | |
| Thos. Mattingley | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jas. McGuffin | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 20 | | |
| Saml. Miller | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| N | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Saml. Nichols | | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Nathan Norton | 19 Feb. 77 | | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Noble | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Henry Norwood | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | |
| Hamilton Neil | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Robt. Nutter | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Henry Nesbitt | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Norris | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Neill | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Nehemiah Nicholas | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Norman | 9 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thos. Nash | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Nelson | 7 Jan. 77 | 23 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Moses Nichols | | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Nowell | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jas. Neill | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| O | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James O'Cain | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Robt. Owens | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Robt. Oram | 16 Jan. 77 | 15 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| William Owens | 26 July 77 | | | | | | | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 20 | | | |
| William Oglesby | 4 Sept. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

## OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT FOR THE DEPRECIATION OF PAY TO FIRST OF AUGUST, 1780

| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11. 9 | Joined the Enemy |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12.11 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7. 2 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3.12 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38. 9 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5.25 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6.25 | Died 29 Sept. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10. 0 | Disc'gd 24 Mch. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1.13 | Des'ted 27 Mch.78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1.16 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | Killed 16 Aug. 80 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9.20 | Deserted 20 Apr 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 41. 0 | Deserted 16 Aug 80 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 40. 2 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | 34. 9 | Deserted |
| 1 | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 21. 0 | Joined the enemy |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 14. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10. 0 | Died in 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 22 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.22 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 31. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.23 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.27 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | Joined the Enemy |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Des'ted 25 Mch 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13. 0 | Discharged |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.14 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7.25 | Des'd. 20 Mch. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10.27 | Deserted |

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| PERSONS NAMED | TIME OF ENLIST-MENT | January, 1777 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1778 | February | March | April | May | June | July |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **P** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Powell | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | 1 | 1 |
| Benjn. Pain | | | | | | | | 17 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| Moses Pheris | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Plowman | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Preston | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Peet | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| *Jno. Parker | 15 Apr. 77 | | | | 16 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| Solomon Price | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Levin Pointer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eliaken Parris | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Hugh Paterson | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Pennington | 18 Apr. 77 | | | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno. Procter | 23 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Paterson | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Pursley | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Andrew Pollard | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Andrew Pierce | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Pemberton | | | | | | 25 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Joseph Preston | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Patterson | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joshua Peery | 19 Jan. 77 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Peery | 21 Mch. 77 | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Peterson | 5 Apr. 77 | | | 9 | 25 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Phillips | 3d Jan. 77 | 27 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Peterson | 22 Feb. 77 | | 9 | 1 | 1 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno. Payton | 19 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Paterson | in 76 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 22 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Purnal | Do | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Littleton Pickeron | 5 Jan. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *Jno. Parker | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Pimm | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Parks | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Danl. Parsons | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | |
| John Q. Parker | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Saml. Piles | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Edw.d Quin | | | | | | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **R** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Roberts | | | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| George Reynolds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jas. Redman | | | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Russel | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Peter Rickets | 26 Feb. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Robt. Russel | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Rambo | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| Jesse Royal | 1 May 77 | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Rider | 2d Nov. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Zedick Ridgway | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

*Two John Parkers

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| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8.10 | Not known |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4.17 | Missing at Br'y Bat |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 43. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 13 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 26.13 | Des'ted 13 Mch. 79 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11.16 | Died Nov. 11, 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 8 | |
| | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 21. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16. 0 | Deserted & ret'd |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 26. 2 | Discharged |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3.13 | Deserted 1 Apr. 78 |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4. 8 | |
| 1 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 22. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 17. 0 | Killed Mch. 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37.29 | Desertd 25 Mch.77 & joined in June 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | 34.11 | Trans. to ye Core of Invalids Nov. 79 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 40. 9 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39.25 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.27 | Deserted 10 Apt. 79 & Returned |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2.25 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7.22 | Takn pris22 Aug.77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 39. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 25.26 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 11 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 22.11 | Died 11 Nov. 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 35. 0 | Joined the Enemy |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5. 0 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8. 0 | Dischar'd 1 Jan. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 3.10 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37. 7 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Dead in June 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37. 8 | Missing 16 Aug. 80 |
| | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 29. 3 | Discharged |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7. 0 | |
| | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 29 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 3.29 | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 31. 0 | |

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| PERSONS NAMES | TIME OF ENLIST-MENT | January, 1777 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1778 | February | March | April | May | June | July |
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| Thos. Roads | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| Edwd. Robinson | | | | 20 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Reardon | 7 Apr. 77 | | | | 24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Benjn. Richardson | | | | | | | 28 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Henry Roberts | 4 Jan. 77 | 26 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 20 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Henry Rowen | 20 Do | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Rowen | 16 Do | 15 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jas. Robertson | 7 Do | 23 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 20 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jas. Richards | 7 Apr. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Riggin | 27 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fredk. Reed | 1 Feb. 77 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Robinson | 24 Feb. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Andw. Ramsey | in 76 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Willm. Risley | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jas. Redick | 17 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Willm. Roe | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Randome | 12 May 77 | | | | | 19 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Roberts | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| S | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joshua Shehorn | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| William Smith | 27 Feb. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Henry F. Spears | 20 Jan. 77 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Martinus Siple | | | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Seaton | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| John Smith | 20 Aug. 79 | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Saymoure | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Stephenson | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Service | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Stevenson | 5 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| William Slay | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Robert Staford | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Stewart | 4 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wm. Skinner | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Wm. Scantling | 29 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| George Stewart | 24 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Willm. Simpson | 10 Apr. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Robt. Smith | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| Robert Streeps (Streets) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Spencer | | | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Shaddock | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 25 | | | | | |
| John Shelton | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 13 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Scott | 10 Jan. 77 | 20 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 22 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Shehorn | 20 Do | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thos. Sappington | 4 Oct. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 27 | | | | | | |
| Jas. Sheradon | 5 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Shelton | 18 Sept. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 26. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 40.20 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39.24 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 32.28 | Deserted 5 Mch. 80 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2.20 | Do & Returned & Desd again Mch. 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.11 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.15 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7.13 | Dischgd 10 Aug. 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42. 0 | Joined the Enemy |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 29. 5 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Dead |
| 1 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1. 5 | Discharg'd 5 Oct 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 14 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | 3.14 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 34. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 33.19 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 6. 0 | Deserted & Ret'd |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11. 2 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 23.10 | Dead Aug. 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 40.12 | Deserted Aug. 81 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6. 4 | |
| 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | | | | | | | | 11. 9 | Deserted & retu'd |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 37. 0 | put on board a Continental Galley in Feb. 80 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 35. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27.26 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 31. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.26 | Killed 8 Sept. 81 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11. 2 | Dead Aug. 79 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12. 7 | |
| | | | | | | | | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 15.21 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 20 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.20 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 37. 9 | Joined the Enemy |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13.25 | Deserted 26 Feb. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7.13 | Discharged & not Entitled |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7.12 | Missing 22 Aug. 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4.12 | Deserted 3d June77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0.27 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | 5.26 | |

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| Absolom Scott | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Smith | 2d. Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 28 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Sherman | 26 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Scott | 16 Feb. 77 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Staten | 3 Jan. 77 | 28 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wm. Swift | 9 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jandel Smith | 26 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wm. Smith | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Stewart | 4 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Willm. Stanton | 6 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Charles Stanford | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jabes Saunders | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | | | | | | | | |
| Richd. Steers | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | |
| Michl. Slaughter | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Jas. Shewell | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| George Scott | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Sapp | 3d. Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Simpson | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Richd. Treasure | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Thomas | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 17 |
| Jesse Timons | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Robt. Timons | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| George Thomas | 21 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Towland | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Adam Towland | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Taylor | 20 Feb. 77 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 1 | 19 | | | | |
| John Turner | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Zedk. Tucker | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jas. Towland | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jas. Turner | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Philip Truet | 19 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Townsend | 17 Do 77 | | | 14 | 1 | 1 | 3 | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Benj. Thompson | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Tool | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Richd. Taylor | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Robt. Thompson | 22 Jan. 77 | | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Tuttle | 18 Feb. 77 | | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Benjn. Towland | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Tulley | 27 Jan. 77 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 14 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | | | | |
| Evan Thomas | 30 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dick Timmons | 26 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Isaac Townsend | 7 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Willm. Townsend | 27 Feb. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Manuel Trayson | 3d. Jan. 77 | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | 1 |
| John Todd | 25 May 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13.28 | Deserted Dec. 79 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6.28 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 25 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.25 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3. 0 | Deserted in July 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. 5 | Died 5 Nov. 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9.0 | Deserted July 79 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. 0 | Dead |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1. 0 | Deserted 1 June 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27.27 | |
| | | | | | | | 15 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 7.15 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | Killed 17 Jan. 81 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5.17 | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 16. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 31. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | 4. 9 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 31. 0 | Killed 15 Mch. 81 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 31. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8. 0 | Deserted 19 Mch. 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | Killed 16 Aug. 80 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 26. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | 17 .0 | Dead 21 Jan. 79 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 32.17 | Deserted 3 June 77, Returned |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 31. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | 37. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 9 | Dead in Mch. 81 |
| | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28 | | | | | 21. 8 | Deserted 24 Jan. 80 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Dead |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Deserted 3 times & returned |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Not known |
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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 35.27 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 26. 5 | |

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| Hugh Towland | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Taylor | 13 Jan. 77 | 17 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Tobin | 17 Feb. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Nathn. Thornton | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 28 | 8 | | | |
| Thos. Thompson | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Purnal Truitt | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| V | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Vinyard | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Abrahm. Vandegrift | | | | | | 8 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| John Vandegrift | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Fredk. Vanlip | 24 Jan. 77 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Vaughan | 3d. Do | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 22 | | | |
| John Vance | 23 Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | |
| Thos. Veach | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| W | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| George Wooster | | | | | | 17 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | | | | |
| Saml. Wooden | 7 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 23 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Windser | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Wichy | | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| David Ward | 14 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Willm. Wallace | 23 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Chas. Williams | 8 Nov. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| Isaac Williams | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Wright | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Henry White | | | | | | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | |
| Peter Westwater | | | | | | | 14 | 1 | 1 | 11 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Benjn. Watkinson | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Webster | 23 May 77 | | | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Watkins | | | | 1 | 25 | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Chas. Wharton | 6 Feb. 77 | | 22 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Williams | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Williams | 15 Jan. 77 | 16 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Eli Weldin | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Wilkinson | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Henry Willice | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thomas Walker | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Christopher Willitt | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| James Winwright | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| John Windser | | | | | | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Wm. Whiteworth | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Francis Williams | 6 Sept. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hosea Wilson | 7 Jan. 77 | 24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Willm. Willice | 21 Aug. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Solomon Watson | 12 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno. Whittington | 2d. Jan. 77 | 28 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |

## OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT FOR THE DEPRECIATION OF PAY TO FIRST OF AUGUST, 1780

| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2. 0 | Dead |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Not known |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6.13 | Dead |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1. 2 | Not known |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 0 | Deserted 16 Aug. 80 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 42.26 | Was Discharged on finding 2 men in lieu |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5. 8 | Dd or kd at Gmintn |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5, | Died |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42. 6 | Killed 16 Aug. 80 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 15.19 | Deserted 23 Apr. 78 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2. 7 | Not known |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9.20 | Died 4 Mch. 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28.23 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9.22 | Died Nov. 78 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37.26 | Deserted July 80 Rt |
| | | | | | | | | | | 16 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12.16 | Missing 16 Aug. 80 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 31. 0 | |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3. 0 | Discharged |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | Dead Sept. |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 28. 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12.11 | Dishd. |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2.25 | Deserted in 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 32. 7 | Deserted Jan. 80 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 31.25 | Deserted 25 Apr. 77 Joined again |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41.22 | Deserted Sept, 80 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7. 0 | Taken prier Inlistnt |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 23.16 | Missing 11 Sept. 77 Jd & wnded 4 Oct. |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12. 0 | Deserted |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 31. 0 | Died Feb. 81 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | Killed at the Cowpens 17 Jan, 81 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 0 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38.21 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 25 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10.25 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 42.24 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.10 | Killed 15 Mch, 81 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 19 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12.19 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16. 4 | Dischged 6 May 78 |

## LIST OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND PRIVATE SOLDIERS FROM FIRST OF JANUARY, 1777

| PERSONS NAMES | TIME OF ENLIST-MENT | January, 1777 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1778 | February | March | April | May | June | July |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| John Williams | 3 Mch. 77 | | | 27 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hugh Wilson | 8 Sept. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Workman | 14 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Wilson | 4 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Alexr. Webb | 18 Feb. 77 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Willm. Walker | 2d. Apr. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 29 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Joseph White | 6 Mch. 78 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| John Wâlter | 19 July 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Robert Work | 8 Sept. 79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| James Wright | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 8 | | | | | | | | | |
| Danl. Wills | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| David Willaby | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Y | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| David Young | 8 June 77 | | | | | | 23 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

## OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT FOR THE DEPRECIATION OF PAY TO FIRST OF AUGUST, 1780

| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1. 5 | Deserted 9 Apr. 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2.19 | Deserted 8 May 77 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27.29 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5. 8 | Died 8 Oct. 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1. 0 | Deserted 1 June 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11.27 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 37.23 | Killed 20 June 81 |

GENERAL MUSTER ROLL OF THE SOLDIERS BELONGING

COMMANDED BY

| PERSONS NAMES | TIME OF ENLIST-MENT | January, 1777 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1778 | February | March | April | May | June | July |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| John Edenfield | 27 Feb. 77 | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Matthew Kusick | 6 Mch. 77 | | | 25 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Robt. Ferrel | 17 Feb. 77 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Joseph McLane | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Benjn. Malster | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wm. McDade | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hugh McDade | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| William Cox | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno. Vandegrift | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Philip Whealon | 18 Feb. 77 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Ezekl. Clark | 10 Do | | 19 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Wm. Maddon | 12 Apr. 77 | | | | 19 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Danl. Deewees | 12 May 77 | | | | | 19 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Henry Kelley | 15 Feb. 77 | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Thos. Wells | 14 May 77 | | | | | 17 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Philip Reiley | 16 Apr. 77 | | | | 15 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jabez Emery | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Elizer Crane | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Perry Scott | 10 Apr. 77 | | | | 20 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Chas. McMuligen | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wm. Lovegrove | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Patk. Dagnon | 7 Mch. 77 | | | 24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Stephen Green | 14 Do | | | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Caleb Levick | 10 Do | | | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Andw. Manerin | 7 Apr. 77 | | | | 23 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Benjn. Jackson | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ledford Berry | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thos. Finn | 23 Feb. 77 | | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jno. Dickinson | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jacob Humphrey | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jas. Sango | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Baylor Gill | 1 Jan. 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Saml. Meridath | 29 Feb. 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jno. Meredith | 29 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nathnl. Scotten | 29 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nicholas Wood | 29 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wm. Jenkins | 29 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joseph Wilson | 19 Mch. 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jas. Donohow | 1 Do | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Robt. Levick | 1 Apr. 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

TO THE DELAWARE STATE: SERVING IN THE LEGION

COL. HENRY LEE

| August | September | October | November | December | January, 1779 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | January, 1780 | February | March | April | May | June | July | The Whole of the Time | REMARKS |
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| 1 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 2 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 40.25 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41.12 | |
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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41.19 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39.19 | Not Entitled says Capt. McLane |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38.19 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41.13 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38.17 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. 1 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | Deserted |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | Do |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39. | |
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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 40.24 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 40.17 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 40.21 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 39.23 | |
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| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 41. 6 | |
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# Delaware Regiment.

History of the Delaware line=commencing with the dates of enlistments, &c., and concluding with the=deaths, desertions, discharges, &c.

J. C. N.

(A book in the War Department
Washington, D. C.)

| NAMES | COMPANY &c | | Date of Enlistment | Time | CASUALTIES |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Anderson, Tho. | Corpl. | Stedhams | June 27. 76 | These men were enlisted for the year–consequently detchd at the expiration | |
| Anderson, Herdman. | Musicn, | | " 22. " | | |
| Alford, John | P | | Feb. 24 " | | |
| Anderson, Enoch | Lieut. | Stedhams | Jan. 13 " | | |
| Adair, John | P | Darbys | " 18 " | | |
| Adams, Peter. | P | " | Mch. 15 " | | |
| Anderson, Willm. | P | " | Jan. 19 " | | |
| Adley, Geo. | P | " | " 20 " | | |
| Anderson, John. | P | Moores | Aug. 17 77 | War | Deserted March 20. 1781 |
| Ake, William | P | Learmonths | Mar. 15. 78 | " | to end of War |
| Adams, Barthw. | P | Jaquett | " 16 " | " | missing in action Aug. 16. 80 Served to end of War |
| Atkins, Every | P | " | Apr. 22 " | " | died Nov. 20th 78 |
| Arnett, Jacob | P | Holland | Mar. 10 78 | " | died July 78 |
| Anderson, Tho. | Qr M | | Sep. 15 77 | " | see below |
| Anderson, Herdman. | Drum Major | | Mar. 10 77 | | deserted May 8. 1780 Rejd. Apr. 20 1782-died Sept. 20. 82 |
| Anderson, Enoch. | Capt. | | Dec. 3 76 | | resigned 1 March 1779 |
| Adams, James | P | Pattons | Nov. 77 | War | died June 13. 78 |
| Archdale, Tho. | P | " | " " | " | died 1 Jany 78 |
| Arnold, Nathan* | P | " | Mar. 16 78 | " | discharged by Maj. Patten May 20. 80 |
| Andrews, Charles | P | Anderson | June 4. 77 | " | deserted Jany 4. 78 |
| Anderson, Tho. | Sergj. | " | Jan. 1. 77 6 | " | Ensign Sept. 1. 78, Lieut. 11 Sept. 79, 1st, Lieut. Jan. 1 81 deranged June 1782 |
| Anderson, Wm. | Musicn. | " | Dec. 3 77 | " | Gone home-Volunteer Dec. 77 |
| Alfred, John. | P | " | " 1 77 | " | deserted Jany. 78 |
| Alderton, John | P | Kirkwood | June 1. 7 | | Missing Sept. 11. 77 |
| Allcorn, Willm. | P | Willson | Aug. 79 | " | Dischd. June 1782—Served. to end of the War |
| Anderson, Stephen | P | Pattens | Aug. 18. 79 | " | |
| Aull, John | P | Quenoult | Mar. 10. 81 | " | |
| Adams, John | P | | Apr. 23. 82 | " | taken by prior enlistment |

*or Arnott

| NAMES | COMPANY &c | | Dates of Enlistment | Time of SERVICE | CASUALTIES |
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| Bedford, Gunning | Lt. Col. | | Jan. 19. 76 | enlisted for one year, dischd, at the expiration of that time | |
| Bail, Robert | Qr. M. | | " 13. " | | |
| Beatsman, John | Sergt. | Stedham | " 27. " | | |
| Bennett, James | P | Stedham | " 17. " | | |
| Biggs, James | P | " | " 26. " | | |
| Bennett, Jacob | P | " | Feb. 5. " | | |
| Brandt, John | P | " | " 6. " | | |
| Brannon, Matth | P | " | " 16. " | | |
| Brown, James | P | " | Mar. 2. " | | |
| Bailey, Robert | P | Darby | Jan. 24. 76 | | |
| Bell, James | P | " | " 27. " | | |
| Bready, Tho | P | " | " 13. " | | Deserted 14. Feb. 76 |
| Butler, Tho | P | " | Feb. 23. " | | |
| Brown, Tho | P | " | Mar. 4. " | | |
| Brown, John | P | " | Feb. 11. " | | |
| Blaney, John | P | " | Apr. 12. " | | |
| Bell, Stephen | P | Hall | Jan. 18. " | | |
| Burton, Willm | P | " | " 18. " | | |
| Brown, Nicholas | P | " | " 18. " | | |
| Berry, James | P | " | " 18. " | | |
| Bignal, John | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| Berry, Tho | Serj. | Vaughan | " 15. " | | |
| Burke, Patrick | P | " | " 17. " | | |
| Buckworth, Charles | P | " | " 19. " | | |
| Brown, James | P | " | " 21. " | | |
| Benson, John | P | " | " 22. " | | |
| Banning, Charles | P | " | " 22. " | | |
| Bratton, James | Lieut. | | Apr. 5. 77 | | |
| Berry, Tho | Ensign | | " 5. " | | Resigned March 1st. 79 |

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| Burris, Joseph | P | Moore | Nov. 77 | War | Discharged June 3d. 78 |
| Burcham, John | P | " | " " | " | died July 17. 78 |
| Barkus, Nathl. | P | " | Aug. 9. " | " | desd. Aug. 16. 77 |
| Barkus, John | P | " | " 9. " | " | do " 16. 77. Rejd. Mar. 20. 83 served to end |
| Barnes, Santee | P | " | June 23. " | " | missing Sept. 16. 77 |
| Burris, Patton | P | " | Dec. 26. " | " | deserted May 80 |
| Brooks, Seth | P | Learmonth | Oct. 77 | " | Corpl. Aug. 1. 79, Serj. Dec. 1. 79 Wars end |
| Bostridge, Tho. | P | " | " 77 | " | died Dec. 5. 77 |
| Bryan, John | P | " | " " | " | deserted Nov. 1. 77, rejd, Mar. 6. 83 Served to end |
| Brown, Willm. | P | " | " " | " | died Aug. 18. 77 |
| Brown, Jeremiah | P | " | Apr. 25. 78 | " | desd. May 26. 78, musd. Sept. 78, dischd. June 1782 |
| Briann, Jeremiah | P | " | " 25. " | " | |
| Boyce, Danl. | Serj. | " | Mar. 2. " | " | died Jany 14. 79 |
| Bennett, John | P | " | Apr. 14. " | " | deserted 16. Apr. 78 |
| Boyd, James | P | " | May 3. 78 | " | ditto May 26. 78 |
| Betson, John | Lieut. | " | July 27. " | " | Ensign Dec. 1. 77 |
| Berry, Mordecai | Corpl. | Jaquett | Dec. 77 | " | Serj. Aug. 1. 78, missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Bartley, John | P | " | Aug. 1. 77 | " | deserted Aug. 6. 77 |
| Burton, Jacob | P | " | May 11. 78 | " | ditto & pr Muster of Oct. 80 say Desd. in Sept. error, dischd. Jun 82 |
| Brown, Caleb | Lieut. | " | Apr. 5. 76 | | died Jany 29. 1780 |
| Beach, Bing. | P | " | July 24. 79 | " | desd. March 7. 80 |
| Bennett, Caleb | Ens. | " | Apr. 5. 77 | Lt. Mar. 1.79 | Capt. 30 Jan 80, entitled to Commutation |
| Black, David | Corpl. | Holland | July 1. 77 | War | Serj. Nov. 6. 77, Deserted Oct. 20. 82 |
| Black, Willm. | " | " | Aug. 1. 77 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Blake, John | P | " | Oct. 77 | " | deserted Aug. 2d. 1780 |
| Brown, Joseph | P | " | Jan. 15. " | " | sick, omittd. Feb. 78 |
| Bradley, Ezekiel | P | " | Mar. 17. 78 | " | died Nov. 6. 78 |
| Brown, Stephen | P | " | " 31. 78 | " | deserted Aug. 27. 78 |
| Bowen, William | P | " | Apr. 28. " | " | deserted 16 July 78 |
| Barns, John | P | " | Apr. 6. " | " | desd. 8. Apr. 78, rejd. Mar. 10. 83, end of War |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bentley, John | Serj. | Hazzard | Oct. 77 | War | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Bowen, Stephen | P | " | " 77 | " | Dischd. June 1782 |
| Bloxton, Sam'l | P | " | July 4. " | " | died Aug. 26. 1777 |
| Brown, James | P | " | Feb. 2. 78 | " | omitted Feb. 78, deserted 16. March 1781 |
| Brown, Joshua | P | Patten | Mar. 28. " | " | transd. to Invalids Jan. 1. 82, Servd. to end of War |
| Benson, John | P | " | " 5. " | " | omitted May 29. 78, rejd. May 79, end of War |
| Moore, Ephraim | P | error | " 13. " | " | desd. Apr. 4. 78 |
| Benign, James | P | Patten | Feb. 14. 78 | " | Prisoner May 78, rejd. July 20.78, deserted Apr. 27.80 |
| Biggs, James | Serj. | Anderson | Dec. 31. 76 | " | Prisoner Aug. 22. 77, Joined 19. 78, deserted May 2d. 80 |
| Burk, Patrick | P | " | " " " | " | deserted Aug. 1. 81 |
| Bennet, James | P | " | " " " | " | |
| Boyle, Charles | P | " | " " " | " | Prisoner Aug. 22. 77 |
| Bleany, James | P | " | " " " | " | died May 10. 77 |
| Brown, William | P | " | June 22. 77 | " | deserted Oct. 1. 78 |
| Burcham, William | P | " | Mar. 8. 78 | " | died, time unknown pr. mus. of Dec. 78 |
| Blacksher, Ebenr or Blackstone | P | " | Mar. 29. 78 | " | Wars end |
| Barclay, James | P | Kirkwood | Dec. 23. 76 | " | deserted Oct. 19. 77 |
| Bennet, Benj. | P | " | Jan. 20. 77 | " | End of War |
| Brown, John | P | " | " 3. " | " | trans. to Invalids Feb. 1. 1782 |
| Black, Richard | P | " | Dec. 24. 76 | " | desd. May 6. 77, rejd. 3, June, Missing 11. Sept. 77 |
| Bostwick, Geo. | P | " | Feb. 8. 78 | " | died March 30. 79 |
| Bennet, John | P | " | Apr. 6. " | " | |
| Burchard, John | P | " | " 8. " | " | |
| Brannon, Willm. | P | " | May 78 | " | died, time unknown, pr. must. of Dec. 78 |
| Brown, Andrew | P | " | May 29. " | " | dischd. by Genl. Arnold at Phila. pr. mst. of Sept.78 |
| Brown, James | P | Wilson | Aug. 9. 79 | " | |
| Bennett, Giles | P | " | July 14. " | " | died Jany. 8. 1780 |
| Bowen, Nathan | P | " | May 12. 80 | " | |
| Bright, Eli | P | Kirkwood | Aug. 23. 79 | " | to end of War |
| Barns, John | P | Patten | July 29. 79 | " | trans. to Invalids Feb. 1. 1782 |

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| Bailey. William | Fifer | Patten | Dec. 79 | War | desd. May 6th, 80 |
| Bond, Benjamin | P | Rhodes | Sept. 77 | " | |
| Bowen, Nathan | P | Purvis. | Oct. 14. 79 | " | Missing Aug. 16. 80, in action, served to end of War |
| Beweox, Lamber | P | " | Apr. 23. 79 | " | omitted May 79 |
| Bryan, Thomas | P | Learmonth | July 21. 79 | " | deserted Mach. 19th, 80 |
| Barker, Willm | P | " | Apr. 80 | " | Wars end |
| Becket, Marck | " | " | " 80 | " | Deserted April 20. 1781 |
| Bassford, William | " | Queenault | May 1. 81 | " | |
| Banks, Saml | P | " | Mar. 28. " | " | end of War |
| Belford, John | P | " | Apr. 1. " | " | end of War |
| Beckett, Peter | P | " | May 14. " | " | end of War |
| Bryan, Nathl | P | " | Mar. 20. " | " | died Dec. 8. 81 |
| Bonniface, Richd | P | " | June 7. " | " | ditto do 7 .81 |
| Bennett, Silas | P | " | Mar. 27. " | " | ditto do 27. 81 |
| Boyer, Elias | Corpl. | " | Dec. 17. 81 | " | |
| Burns, Derias | P | " | 1781 | " | to end of the War |
| Billston, Samuel | P | | Feb. 14. 82 | " | ditto ditto |
| Barnes, Henry | P | | Mar. 9. 83 | " | ditto ditto |
| Brian, Shepherd | P | | 1783 | " | dischd. Apr. 1. 83 |
| Bass, Samuel | P | | 22 Aug. 79 | | paid on final Settl. from 1st Aug. 1780 |
| Burchard, William | | | | | Ditto Ditto |
| C | | | | | |
| Cochran, Danl | Serj. | Stedham | Jany 22. 76 | enlisted for one year–dischd. at the expiration of that time | |
| Campbell, Jas | P | " | " 24. " | | |
| Conner, John | P | " | Feb. 2. " | | |
| Craford, John | P | " | " 7. " | | |
| Christie, John | P | " | " 17. " | | |
| Carvan, Isaac | P | " | " 29 " | | |
| Camphert, Valentine | P | " | Mar. 2. " | | |
| Carlisle, Patrick | P | " | Apr. 3. " | | |
| Curse, William | P | " | Mar. 13. " | | deserted March 20. 76 |
| Campbell, James | P | " | Feb. 7. " | | ditto Apl. 5. 76 |
| Camron, Alexr | P | " | Feb. 2. " | | |

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| Cahoon, James | Serj. | Darby | Jan. 17. 76 | enlisted for one year–dischd. at the expiration of that time | |
| Callinan, John | P | " | " 18. " | | |
| Cook, John | P | " | " 19. " | | |
| Crawford, Alexr. | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Camron, John | P | " | " 24. " | | |
| Charles, James | P | " | " 29. " | | |
| Cross, David | P | " | Feb. 13. " | | |
| Cook, Jonathan | P | " | Apr. 12. " | | |
| Conner, Willm. | P | " | " " " | | |
| Cob, Samuel | P | Hall | Jan. 16. " | | |
| Clifton, John | P | " | Jan. 23. " | | |
| Clifton, Pemberton | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| Curwithin, John | P | " | " 21. " | | |
| Coulter, Cornelius | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Collins, Richard | P | " | " 30. " | | |
| Childs, Thomas | P | Vaughan | " 20. " | | |
| Collins, Salathiel | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| Clifton, Delaney | P | " | " 24. " | | |
| Coverdale, Benjamin | P | " | Jan. 19. 76 | | |
| Clifton, Robert | P | " | Feby 15. 76 | | |
| Clifton, Elihu | P | " | " 15. " | | |
| Conniway, Saml. | P | " | " 7. " | | |
| Conniway, Rawlins | P | " | " 19. " | | |
| Cross, Saml. | P | Moore | May 21. 77 | War | Corpl. Sept. 1. 77, Serj. June 1. 80 wars end |
| Cayton, James | P | " | June 8. " | " | see K, desd. Jan. 24. 80, rejd. 1. Sept. 81 |
| Carty, Darby | P | " | May 22. " | " | died Aug. 12. 77 |
| Cox, Nathnl. | P | | Apr. 21. 78 | " | died Nov. 10. 1778 |
| Cox, John | Serjeant | Learmonth | Oct. 77 | " | transd. to Invalids Apr. 80 |
| Coulter, Charles | " | " | " " | " | deserted May 4. 80 |
| Cook, James | Music | " | " " | " | Priv. Apr. 20. 78, Wars end |
| Cook, Timothy | " | " | " " | " | Fife Major Jan. 20. 80, Wars end |
| Carson, James | P | " | " " | " | |
| Connelly, Edward | P | " | " " | " | deserted July 25. 77 |

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| Cox, Matth. | P | Learmonth | Apr. 24. 78 | War | omitted July 79, des' Dec. 79 |
| Comine, Nathan | P | " | Mar. 14. " | " | desd. July 78 |
| Conolly, Charles | P | " | Feb. 25. " | " | Wars end |
| Castle, John | P | Jacquett | Dec. 77 | " | deserted Jany 18. 81 |
| Curtis, Richd | P | " | Aug. 14. " | " | deserted Aug. 14. 77 |
| Calahan, Danl | P | " | " 7. " | " | do do 7. 77 |
| Christonfoplis, Jno | P | " | Dec. 77 | " | to end of the War |
| Cole, Zebulon | P | " | Mar. 28. " | " | died Sept. 16. 78 |
| Carty, Wm | P | " | Apr. 8. 78 | " | deserted Apl. 29. 78 |
| Cook, John | P | " | Feb. 28. " | " | Omitted Aug. 79, dischd. June 1782 |
| Crawford, John | P | " | July 14. 79 | " | see G for Garford |
| Carney, George | P | " | " 29. " | " | deserted Dec. 31. 79 |
| Crockett, John | P | " | Aug. 24. " | " | ditto March 7. 80 |
| Campbell, James | Lieut. | | Mar. 1. " | " | Ensign Apr. 5. 77, Deranged June 1782 |
| Chinimons, Tho | P | | Mar. 1. 80 | War | |
| Cunningham, James | Corpl. | Holland | May 5. 77 | " | desd. June 12. 77 |
| Cullen, John | P | " | Mar. 7. " | " | deserted May 13. 1781 |
| Cook or Cork, Jacob | P | " | Apr. 6. 78 | " | deserted pr. Must. of Oct. & Sept. 80 error, Wars end |
| Crawford, Alexr. | P | " | " 12. " | " | died Aug. 25. 78 |
| Cox, Powell D. | Lieut. | Hazzard | " 5. 77 | " | Deranged Jany. 1783 |
| Collins, Tho | P | " | Oct. 77 | " | Wars end |
| Clifton, John | P | " | " " | " | |
| Cook, Jonathan | P | " | " " | " | died at Burlington, per Muster of Oct. 77 |
| Coverdill, Benj | P | " | " " | " | |
| Campbell, Colin | P | " | Apr. 5. 78 | " | deserted Sept. 1, 78 |
| Cochran, Danl | Sergj. Major | | Sept. 15. 77 | | dischd. 15. Mar. 79, be being a Volunteer |
| Cazier, John | Serj. | Anderson | Apr. 12. 78 | War | appod. Serj. Major 15. Mar. 79, died July 1. 1781 |
| Corse, John | Lieut. | | Dec. 3. 76 | | Resigned Apr. 26. 1780, as Capt. |
| Cochran, James | P | Pattens | Nov. 77 | War | |
| Clark, Harman | P | " | " " | " | Missing Aug. 16. 80 |
| Cassin, James | P | " | " " | " | deserted 1. May 78, rejd. Aug. 16. 80 |
| Cassin, Robert | P | " | " " | " | Missing Aug. 22d. 77 |
| Calagan, Jeremiah | P | " | July 4. 77 | " | deserted pr Muster of Nov. 77 |

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| Cochran, John | P | Pattens | Aug. 8. 77 | War | deserted pr Muster of Nov. 77, rejd. & desd. Feb. 23. 83 |
| Collins, John | P | " | Jan. 28. 77 | " | ditto Mar. 26. 78, Mustd. May 78 |
| Collins, Geo | P | " | May 10. 78 | " | rec. for Townsend-Corpl. Sept. 1. 78, Omitted July 79, died Sept. 82, in Battle |
| Clark, James | P | " | Apr. 26. 78 | " | omitted May 79 |
| Clifton, Geo | P | " | Feb. 17. " | " | Wars end |
| Cavender, James | Corpl. | Anderson | Mar. 1. 77 | " | Serj. 1 Jan. 78, died Apr. 17 78 |
| Conner, Edward | P | " | Oct. 77 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Conolly, Geo | P | " | " " | " | deserted Sept. 25. 77 |
| Coffile, Richard | P | " | " " | " | Dischd. June 1782 |
| Crosby, John | P | " | " " | " | died Jan. 12. 78 |
| Cook, Jonathan | P | " | " 77 | " | Wars end |
| Crawford, Alexr | Corpl. | " | Apr. 25. 78 | " | |
| Clark, Alexander | P | " | Apr. 2. 78 | " | Deserted Jan. 12 1782 |
| Collins, Charles | P | " | | | 1st Mus. June 78, Res. 15 March 78 |
| Cochran, Danl. | Serj. | Kirkwood | Jany 1. 77 | War | Wars end |
| Crawford, John | P | " | " 12. " | " | deserted June 3. 77 |
| Croft, Peter | P | " | Dec. 31. 76 | " | Wars end |
| Carr, John | P | " | Jan. 3. 77 | " | transd. to Invalids pr Must. of Jan. 1782 |
| Coffiel, Hugh | P | " | " 16. " | " | omitted Jan. 80, returned from deserting 1. July 81, Wars end |
| Campbell, James | P | " | " 1. " | " | deserted July 26. 79 |
| Conner, John | P | " | Dec. 4. 76 | " | Wars end |
| Carvell, Isaac | P | " | Jan. 1. 77 | " | transd. to the Corps of Invalids Apr. 23d. 80 |
| Curry, John | P | " | May 27. 77 | " | Missing in action 16 Aug. 80 |
| Coleman, Patrick | P | " | Aug. 1. 77 | " | Wars end |
| Campher, Valentine | P | " | " 21. " | " | |
| Clark, John | P | " | June 17. " | " | |
| Clark, Thomas | Music | Kirkwood | " 4. " | " | Wars end |
| Currypool, Richard | P | " | Feb. 8. 78 | " | Died July 20 1781–in Battle |
| Culver, Levin | P | " | " 11. " | " | Died Feby 1781 |
| Clifton, Whittinton | P | " | " 16. " | " | Dischd. June 1782 |

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| Curry, Nathan | P | Kirkwood | Apr. 24. 78 | War | deserted July 78 |
| Campbell, Geo. | P | " | May 18. " | " | |
| Clifton, Bosman | P | " | May 23. " | " | |
| Culver, Joseph | P | " | Mar. 80 | " | deserted Feb. 1. 80, rejd. Deserted June 1. 1781 |
| Corse, James | P | Purvis | July 19. 79 | " | Corpl. Feb. 27. 80, Deserted 1. Mar. 81 |
| Crook, Christopher | P | Corse | Dec. 2. 79 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Check, John | P | Rhodes | Apr. 1. 80 | " | ditto ditto, say deserted July 27.80 |
| Crampton, James | P | Learmonth | July 5. 79 | " | deserted July 20, 1780 |
| Cox, Thomas | P | Jacquett | Aug. 12. 81 | " | |
| Cunningham, Andw. | P | Queenault | Mar. 5. " | " | Died Nov. 6. 1781 |
| Cogan, Richard | P | " | " 23. " | " | Wars end |
| Carr, Robert | P | " | Jan. 1. " | " | died Sept. 12. 1782 |
| Cain, Samuel | P | " | May 6. 81 | " | |
| Connor, James | P | " | " 5. " | " | |
| Connelly, Patrick | P | " | Apr. 26. " | " | Discharged June 1782 |
| Craig, William | P | " | May 24. " | " | Died Dec. 1. 1781 |
| Caughan, Danl. | P | | Nov. 24. 81 | " | Serj. Nov. 24. 81 |
| Cathcart, Robert | P | | Feb. 18. 82 | " | desd. March 21. 82 |
| Calder, James | P | | Mar. 9. 82 | " | ditto Apr. 82 |
| Conway, James | P | | Oct. 3. 82 | " | ditto Oct. 12. 82 |
| Collins, Charles | P | | Sept. 20. 82 | " | ditto Oct. 4. 82 |
| Cooper, James | P | | Mar. 2. 83 | " | to end of the War |
| Cox, Barney | P | | " 11. 83 | " | ditto ditto |
| Calloway, Lowder | | | 83 | " | discharged May 5. 1783 |
| Cornell, John | P | | Aug. 1. 80 | " | died Jany 20. 81 in Battle |
| Clemmons, Tho. | P | | Jany. 1. 82 | " | died Apl. 11. 82 |

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| Dickson, Willm. | Serj. | Stedham | Jany.19. 76 | Discharged at expiration of 1 year | |
| Dougherty, James. | Corpl. | " | Feby.14. " | | |
| Dutton, Henry | P | " | Jany.20. " | | |
| Donoly, Hugh | P | " | " 22. " | | |
| Duffe, John | P | " | " 29. " | | |
| Dunn, Patrick. | P | " | Feby. 1. " | | |
| Davis, John | P | " | " 5. " | | |
| Dempsey, Richd. | P | " | " 9. " | | |
| Dempsey, Dennis | P | " | Mar. 11. " | | |
| Dowdes, Willm. | P | " | " 15. " | | |
| Darby, Henry | Captain | | Jany.13. " | | |
| Develin, Lazarus. | P | Darby | Jany.22. " | | |
| Dick, Thomas | P | " | " 24. " | | desd. Jany. 25. 76 |
| Donoho, James | P | " | " 27. " | | |
| Develin, Patrick | P | " | " 29. " | | |
| Dickey, David. | P | " | Feb. 13. " | | |
| Dorman, Matth. | P | " | Jany.17. " | | |
| Davis, Saml. | P | " | " 16. " | | |
| Dodd, William | P | | " 19. " | | |
| Dougherty, Benj. | P | Hall | " 20. " | | |
| Dean, Abraham | P | Vaughan | Feby 1. " | | |
| Demat, Joseph | P | " | " 10. " | | |
| Donaldley, James | P | " | " 16. " | | |
| Dunklin, Willm. | P | Moore | May 20. 77 | War | Deserted 1. Dec. 78 |
| Daugherty, Nathl. | Corpl. | Larmonth | Oct. 77 | " | reduced Jany. 18. 78, deserted Apl. 12. 78 |
| Dixon, Andw. | P | " | " " | " | to end of the War |
| Davis, Patrick | P | " | " " | " | deserted Jany. 1. 1778 |
| Donneho, Tho. | P | " | " " | " | ditto Apl. 1. 78 |
| Donnoho, Benj. | P | " | " " | " | deserted June 24. 77 |

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| Donnaldson, Wm. | P | Kirkwood | Apl. 24. 78 | War | |
| Deman, James | P | " | " 21. " | " | to end of War |
| Drew, Willm. | P | " | May 24. " | " | died March 15. 81, in action-Say Battle |
| Davis, John | P | Wilson | Aug. 11. 79 | " | missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Dawson, Wm. | Drum | " | Feb. 2. 80 | " | |
| Dobson, James | P | " | Mar. 21. " | " | Deserted 1. Jan. 1782 |
| Dodd, Eli. | P | Kirkwood | Aug. 20. 79 | " | to the end of War |
| Dodd, Samuel | P | Patten | " 18. " | " | omitted Mar. 80, died July 20. 81-in Battle |
| Davis, Richard | P | " | " 4. " | " | Missing in action 16. Aug. 80 |
| Dunlap, Alexander | P | Purvis | July 17. 79 | " | Missing in action 16. Aug. 80 |
| Durant, Thomas | P | " | Apl. 23. 79 | " | deserted Jany. 24. 1780 |
| Davis, David | P | Learmonth | Oct. 20. 79 | " | died Aug. 14. 1780 |
| Darrogh, Charles | P | Queenoualt | Apl. 8. 81 | " | Died Dec. 29. 1781 |
| Davis, James | Corpl. | " | Sept. 1. " | " | to end of War |
| Dorman, Thomas | P | " | May 8. 81 | " | Died Mar. 11. 1782 |
| Dugan, Thomas | P | " | Mar. 22. 81 | " | ditto Jan. 22. 82 |
| Dawson, James | Drum | " | Feb. 3. 80 | " | Deserted 19. Nov. 81, Joined Jany. 8. 82 |
| Doven, John | P | | Dec. 8. 81 | War | to end of War |
| Daniel, Andrew | P | | Apl. 27. 82 | " | to end of the War |
| Drury, Willm. | P | | May 16. 82 | " | ditto ditto |
| Dorman, David | P | | Apl. 25. 82 | " | to end of War |
| Dorrough, Saml. | P | | May 29. 82 | " | ditto ditto |
| Davis, Joseph | P | | July 14. 82 | " | Deserted July 29. 82 |
| Davis, Samuel | P | Kirkwood | Jany 1. 82 | | died Sept. 28. 82 |
| Derrick, Thomas | P | | July 29. 79 | | Recd. final settlt. from Aug. 1st. 80 |
| Delarose, Anthony | P | | July 23. 79 | | Do |
| Denny, James | P | Learmonth | Apl. 20. 78 | War | desd. June 4. 78 |
| Darnell, Isaac | P | " | Mar. 1. 78 | " | died Dec. 10. 1778 |

| NAMES | COMPANY &c | | Date of Enlistment | Time of Service | REMARKS |
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| Dailey, Andw. | Music | Jacquett | Dec. 77 | " | reduced to Priv. Mar. 1. 78, missing in action 16. Aug. 80 |
| Dogherty, Michl. | P | " | " " | " | desd. May 17. 78, rejd. Oct. 78, missing in act. Aug. 16. 80 |
| Douglas, Peter. | Music | " | Feb. 10. 78 | " | |
| Duff, Henry. | Lieut. | " | Aug. 16. 78 | " | Omitted May 5. 79, Capt. deranged May 21. 83, see below |
| Davis, Saml. | Serjeant | Holland | Oct. 77 | " | |
| Daily, Tho. | P | " | " " | " | omitted May 78 |
| Dyar, James | P | " | Mar. 6. 78 | " | deserted 14. Apl. 78 |
| Dyer, Robert. | Serj. | Pattens | Nov. 77 | " | reduced to Priv. Oct. 10. 79 |
| Duffin, Laughlin | P | " | Nov. 77 | " | ditto Sept. 11. 79 |
| Daily, Danl. | P | " | " " | " | deserted July 25. 80 |
| Dogherty, Michael | P | " | May 29. 77 | " | deserted June 1. 77, Must. in 81, rejd. from imprisonment to end of War |
| Dorman, Matth. | P | " | Nov. 77 | " | died at Dover June 22d. 77 |
| Downs, Robert | P | " | Apl. 2d. 78 | " | to the end of the War |
| Dowds, Charles. | P | " | May 78 | " | recd. for McGlaughlin-trans. to Invalids Jan. 1. 1782 |
| Duff, Henry. | Lieut. | Anderson | Apl. 5. 77 | " | Captain-Deranged May 21. 1783 |
| Dempsey, Dennis | P | " | Oct. 77 | " | Corpl. Jan. 24. 78, reduced June 1. 80, to end of War |
| Donnelly, Hugh | P | " | " " | " | deserted Feb. 3. 80 |
| Dormont, Michl. | P | " | " " | " | ditto May 1. 80 |
| Dewsey, Patrick | P | " | May 24. " | " | Corpl. June 1. 80, Invalided Jan. 1. 1782, died Sept. 1. 82 |
| Donnelly, James | P | " | May 21. " | " | desd. July 20. 77 |
| Dixon, Wm. | P | " | June 11. " | " | trans. to the Corps of Invalids Apl. 23d. 80, deserted Jan. 1. 1782 |
| Dunn, Thomas | P | " | Jan. 14. 78 | " | |
| Dowers, Willm. | P | " | Dec. 77 | " | deserted June 4. 78 |
| Dogherty, James. | P | Kirkwood | Jany. 1. 77 | " | |
| Dowds, Willm. | Corpl. | " | " " " | " | Serj. Oct. 1. 77 |
| Duffy, John | P | " | " " " | " | deserted Nov. 77, Joind. Aug. 3. 78, omitted July80 |
| Dunn, Patrick. | P | " | July 16. 77 | " | Corpl. Mar. 78, Invalided 1st. Jan. 82, wounded |
| Durnett, Charles. | P | " | Feb. 23. 78 | " | deserted July 11. 78 |

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| Eccles, William | P | Stedham | Jany 17. 76 | dischg'd at the expiration of one year | |
| Eccles, Robert | P | Stedham | " 19. " | | |
| Evans, John | P | Darby | " 29. " | | |
| Ewart, Robert | Serj. | Vaughan | " 16 " | | |
| Eshen, John | Corpl. | " | " 20. " | | |
| English, Robert | P | Learmonth | Oct. 77 | War | deserted June 1. 77 |
| Evans, Jenkin | P | Jacquett | Dec. " | " | Corpl. Oct. 78, Serj. Feb. 27. 80, reduced to Priv. July 80, to the end of the war |
| Edwards, Edward | P | " | " " | " | omitted Apl. 78 |
| English, Bartholo. | P | " | May 28. " | " | desd. May 30. 77, rejd. Mar. 78, desd. Mar. 3. 79, rejd. May 15. 79, omitted Jany. 80 |
| English, Willm. | P | " | Feb. 27. 78 | " | Trans. to Corp. Invalids Mar. 25. 78 |
| Everett, John | P | " | Apl. 27. " | " | Corpl. June 1. 78, deserted Dec. 12. 78 |
| Evans, Willm. | P | " | Apl. 22. " | " | omitted Sept. 78, rejd, May 82, served to end of the War |
| Emery, Willm. | P | " | Apl. 1. " | " | died Nov. July 10. 78 |
| Elwood, Michl. | Corpl. | | Aug. 9. 79 | | 1st. must. Jany 80, deserted Sept. 2. 80 |
| Emerton, Joseph | P | Holland | Oct. 77 | War | Corpl. June 1. 78, resigned 1. Jany 82, Died May 1782 |
| Edgiss, John | P | " | Mar. 6. 78 | " | desd. March 10. 78 |
| Estom, (Eshom) John | P | Hazzard | Oct. 77 | " | Wars end |
| Ellis, David | P | Patten | Nov. 77 | " | Ditto |
| Elliott, Moses | P | " | Mar. 10. 78 | " | deserted March 27. 78 |
| Emory, Peter | P | Quenault | Apl. 20. 81 | " | |
| Evans, Magon | P | | Feb. 20. 82 | " | Died Oct. 25. 1782 |
| English, Joseph | P | | " 20. 83 | " | to end of War |

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| Flinn, Patrick | P | Stedham | Jan. 22. 76 | dischd. at the expiration of one year | |
| Ferguson, Robt. | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| Ford, Reuben | P | " | " 25. " | | |
| Flecker, John | P | " | " 28. " | | |
| Fleetwood, Johnson | P | Hall | " 18. " | | |
| Fortescue, Aaron | P | " | " 18. " | | |
| Foster, William | P | " | " 22. " | | |
| Fleming, John | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| Fleetwood, Purnel | P | " | Feb. 3. " | | |
| Fleetwood, Thomas | P | " | " 19 " | | |
| Fisher, Thomas | P | " | Mar. 25. " | | |
| Furbush, John | P | Vaughan | Jany 19. " | | |
| Fagan, Cato | P | Learmonth | Oct. 77 | War | deserted June 14. 78 |
| Frazier, John | P | " | " " | " | deserted Nov. 1. 77 |
| Ford, Andrew | P | " | May 3. 78 | " | do 26. May 78 |
| Furbush, Wm. | P | " | Mar. 15. " | " | to end of War |
| Fleetwood, Johnson | P | Jacquett | Oct. 77 | " | deerted May 16. 78, rejd. Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Fleming, Hugh | P | " | " " | " | Missing in action 16. Aug. 80 |
| Flowers, Elias | P | Hazzard | " " | " | deserted Aug. 20. 1780, rejd. 1st. Apr. 81 |
| Furbush, John | P | " | " " | " | paid Depn. Supposed continued |
| Fagan, Garrett | P | Pattens | Nov. " | " | discharged June 16. 78 |
| Foster, Willm. | P | " | " " | " | Deserted Aug. 9. 79 |
| Flemming, Wm. | P | " | Aug. 4. " | " | ditto Jany 1. 1781 |
| Figgs, Charles | P | " | Mar. 4. 78 | " | died Jany 4. 79 |
| Flinn, Patrick | P | " | Oct. 77 | " | |
| Ferguson, Robert | P | Kirkwood | Jany 14. 77 | " | deserted July 26. 79 |
| Fink, George | P | " | July 17. 77 | " | |
| Fisk, William | P | " | Dec. 1. 77 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80, rejd. Jan. 18. 81, died Sep. 1. 1782 |
| Ferguson, Geo. | P | " | May 18. 78 | " | |

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| Flowers, Alexander | P | Kirkwood | May 30. 78 | War | deserted July 9. 80 |
| Ferguson, Joseph | P | " | Oct. 78 | " | transd. to Invalids Jany 1. 1782 |
| Fisher, Christian | P | " | Nov. 5. 79 | " | |
| Fruitt (Truitt) Purnal | P | Pattens | Feby 19. 78 | " | missing in action 16. Aug. 80 |
| Fitzgerald, Joseph | P | McKennan | Apl. 20. 80 | " | to end of the War. |
| Furby, Jacob | Corpl. | Purvis | July 20. 79 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80, rejd. July 25. 81 |
| Free man, Charles | P | " | Oct. 30. 79 | " | Deserted July 25. 1781 |
| Flinn, Thomas | P | Learmonth | July 30. 79 | " | deserted Oct. 24. 1780, redj. 1 Dec. 80, Served to end of War |
| Flanagan, Willm | P | Quenault | Apl. 4. 81 | " | to end of War. |
| Ford, Lott | P | " | July 1. 80 | " | ditto ditto |
| Forsyth, Willm | P | " | Feby 4. 82 | " | Corpl. 1. Aug. 82, Serj. Jan. 1., reduced Mar. 18. 83, Served to end of War |
| Ford, David | P | " | Jany 9. 82 | " | to end of the War |
| Fielding, Willm | P | | Sept. 9. 82 | " | desd. Nov. 17. 82, rejd. Dec. 82, desd. May 15. 83 |
| Foplis, John C. | P | | Dec. 77 | " | to end of War |
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| Goggin, John | P | Stedham | Jany 24. 76 | discharged at the expiration of one year | |
| Gattigins, Patric | P | " | " 27. " | | |
| Gray, James | P | " | Feby 2. " | | |
| Garrettson, John | P | " | Jany 26. " | | |
| Gillespie, John | P | Darby | " 25. " | | |
| Gordon, James | P | " | " 25. " | | |
| Grier, Andrew | P | " | " 27. " | | deserted Feby 8. 76 |
| Grimes, Richd | P | " | " 31. " | | |
| Grimes, Hugh | P | " | Feby 1. " | | |
| Guthrie, Wm | P | " | " 13. " | | |
| Gandy, Willm | P | " | Mar. 25. " | | |
| Groves, Robert | Music | Halls | Feb. 27. " | | |
| Gale, Thomas | P | " | Jan. 18. " | | |
| Gibbins, Saml | P | Vaughan | Feb. 9. " | | |
| Gould, James | P | " | " 16. " | | |
| Ganzlin, John | P | " | " 19. " | | |
| Grace, John | P | " | Mar. 12. " | | deserted Apl. 12. 76 |

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| Griffith, Wm. | P | Learmonth | Apl. 29. 78 | War | deserted August 1. 79 |
| Gordon, Tho. | P | " | Apl. 27. " | " | to the end of the War |
| Gorman, John | P | Jacquett | Dec. 77 | " | Invilided Feb. 1. 1782 |
| Griffin, Curtis | P | " | Oct. " | " | dead Sept. 16. 78 |
| Gasford, John | P | " | July 14. 79 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Giles, Tho. | P | Holland | Oct. 77 | " | died at Yellow Springs Dec. 78 Muster |
| Griffin, Edw. | P | Hazzard | " " | " | |
| Gilder, Reuben | Surg. | | Apl. " | | entitled to Commutation |
| Gamble, James | Corpl. | Patten | Nov. " | " | omitted Jany 78, exchanged for John Collins Jan. 28 78 |
| Green, Michael | Music | " | " " | " | trans. to Invalids Apl. 1780 |
| Garrett, Nathan | P | " | " " | " | Missing Aug. 22. 1777 |
| Garrett, Richd. | P | " | " " | " | omitted June 79 |
| Garner, Christian | P | Anderson | Oct. 77 | " | deserted 16. June 78 |
| Gutrey, Willm. | P | " | " " | " | died Sept. 8. 1781 in Battle |
| Gore, Tho. | P | " | " " | " | deserted May 8. 77, rejd. served to end of War |
| Gorden, James | P | " | Mar. 16. 78 | " | ditto March 27. 78 |
| Grimes, Cornelius | P | Kirkwood | Jan. 12. 77 | " | omitted Dec. 79, Made up in the pay of the Regt. from Aug. . . . . to the end |
| Grace, Wm. | P | " | Feb. 7. 78 | " | |
| Griffith, Isaac | P | " | " 16. " | " | |
| Griffith, Curtis | P | " | " 16. " | " | |
| Grimes, Wm. | P | " | Apl. 22. 78 | " | deserted Apl. 23 77 |
| Goter, Charles | P | Rhodes | Mar. 1. 78 | " | deserted Aug. 20. 79 |
| Garvin, Michael | P | Learmonth | Apl. 80 | " | to end of the War |
| Grisken, John | P | Quenault | Apl. 19. 81 | " | to end of the War |
| Godin, John | P | | June 82 | " | Died Decem. 4. 81 |
| Gadsba, Ralph | P | | Feb. 27. 82 | " | desd. March 26. 82 |
| Gray, Frazer | P | | Mar. 21. 82 | " | to end of the War |
| Green, Christopher | P | | July 4. 82 | " | taken away by prior enlistm. |

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| Haslet, John | Colonel | | Jany. 19. 76 | | Killed at princeton battle Jany 1777 |
| Holland, Tho. | Adjutant & Ensign | | " 13. " | | Captain Dec. 14. 76,—died Oct. 13. 77 of his wounds |
| Harris, John | Music | | Jany 17. " | | |
| Hannen, Tho. | P | Stedham | " 22. " | | |
| Hall, James | P | " | " 26. " | | |
| Higgins, Andw. | P | " | Feby 1. " | | |
| Hendrickson, John | P | " | " 21. " | | |
| Hanley, Joseph | P | " | " 22. " | | |
| Howard, William | P | " | Mar. 17. " | | |
| Howell, Lewis | Lieut. | | Jany 13. " | | |
| Hamilton, Mattw. | Corpl. | Darby | " 27. " | | |
| Harris, Patrick | | " | Mar. 31. " | | |
| Hanna, Robert | P | " | Feb. 6. " | discharged at the expiration of one year | deserted Feb. 14. 76 |
| Heney, James | P | " | " 13. " | | |
| Harkins, Saml. | P | " | " 15. " | | |
| Hetherington, John | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| Hereford, James | P | " | " 3. " | | |
| Harris, Jacob | P | " | Apl. 12. " | | |
| Hall, David | Captain | | Jany 16. " | | |
| Harney, Genethan | Lieut. | | " 16. " | | |
| Hazzard, Cord | Ens. | | " 16. " | | |
| Hosman, Joseph | Serj. | Halls | " 16. " | | |
| Hall, Willm. | " | " | " 16. " | | |
| Hall, Willm. | Corpl. | " | " 17. " | | |
| Hickman, Spencer | P | " | " 16. " | | |
| Hutchinson, John | P | " | " 17. " | | |
| Harney, Joshua | P | " | " 18. " | | |
| Hall, James | P | " | " 19. " | | |
| Hall, William | P | " | " 19. " | | |

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| Hall, Jesse | P | Darby | Jany 20. 76 | dischd. at the expiration of one year | |
| Harris, Geo. | P | " | " 21. " | | |
| Hopkins, Nathl. | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| Hutchinson, James | P | " | " 27. " | | |
| Hazzard, Joseph | P | | Feby 22. " | | |
| Holston, William | P | Hall | " 3. " | | |
| Hicks, Willm. | Serj. | Vaughan | " 9. " | | |
| Harper, Joseph | Corpl. | " | " 9. " | | |
| Harper, Allen | " | " | " 10. " | | |
| Harper, John | " | " | " 10. " | | |
| Hurley, Joanos | P | " | Jany 16. " | | |
| Hern, John | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Hurt, Beachamp | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Hastings, Robert | P | " | " 26. " | | |
| Hicks, John | P | " | Feby 9. " | | |
| Harper, David | P | " | " 10. " | | |
| Hopkins, John | P | " | " 17. " | | |
| Herbert, John | P | Moores | Nov. 77 | War | deserted May 9. 80 |
| Helford, Matth. | P | " | " " | " | Corpl. June 1. 79, reduced Aug. 1. 79, end of War |
| Handley, Danl. | P | " | " " | " | Missing in action 16. Aug. 80 |
| Hosman, Joseph | Ens. | Learmonth | Apl. 1. 77 | " | Lieut. Aug. 16. 78, Deranged June 1782 |
| Harrison, Richd. | P | " | Oct. 77 | " | |
| Hayley, Danl. | P | " | " " | " | discharged June 18. 77 by Genl. Arnold |
| Harris, Tho. | P | " | Apl. 7. 78 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Hook, Willm. | P | " | " 27. " | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80, rejd. served to end of the War |
| Hatfield, John | P | " | " 23. " | " | died Jany 20. 81—in Battle |
| Holdston, Tho. | P | " | " 4. " | " | deserted April 29. 1780, Invalided—1782 |
| Hyatt, John | Lieut. | Jacquett | Apl. 5. " | | Pris. Apl. 26. 78, deranged Jany 1. 1783 |
| Hyne, Willm. | Corpl. | " | Dec. 77 | War | deserted March 20. 78 |
| Homan, Michl. | P | " | May 18. " | " | desd. May 19. 77 |

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| Hekey, John | P | Jacquett | June 21. 77 | War | desd. June 22,. 77 |
| Hutchinson, John | P | " | Aug. 77 | | do Apl. 17. 78 |
| Higman, Joshua | P | " | Mar. 6. 78 | " | discharged Oct. 1. 78 |
| Holt, Willm | P | " | " 12. " | " | omitted Sept. 79. Deserted 3d. May 1781 |
| Hickman, Nehemiah | P | " | " 16. " | " | omitted Sept. 78, died Nov. 21. 78 |
| Harbard, Joseph | P | " | Apl. 1. " | " | discharged June 1. 79 |
| Hewlin, Willm | P | " | " 1. " | " | desd. Apl. 18. 78 |
| Huston, Elijah | P | " | May 79 | " | rejd. from desertion Feb. 6. 79, Corpl. Jan. 79, end of War |
| Hall, Carey | P | " | Aug. 19. 79 | " | end of War |
| Hudson, John | P | Holland | Oct. 77 | " | died Sept. 7. 77 |
| Hanford, Charles | P | " | " 77 | " | desd. Oct. 77 |
| Hoskins, Robert | P | " | " " | " | died, time unknow, pr Muster Jany 79 |
| Hollingsworth, Chas | P | " | Feb. 6. 78 | " | |
| Hackney, John | P | " | Mar. 10. " | " | fife 1. Nov. 78, end of War |
| Hill, John | P | " | " 6. " | " | Missing 16. Aug. 80, in action |
| Hindsley, Mark | P | " | " 6. " | " | deserted Apl. 14. 78 |
| Hazzard, Cord | Captain | Hazard | Apl. 5. " | " | Resigned Jany 27. 78 |
| Holt, James | P | " | Oct. 77 | " | Pris. Oct. 77 |
| Hasty, Robert | P | " | " " | " | Deserted March 20. 81 |
| Hall, Thomas | P | " | " " | " | desd. August 12. 77 |
| Hall, David | Colonel | | Apl. 5. 77 | " | Deranged Jany 1783 |
| Hearvy, Jonathan | Lieut. | | Nov. 30. 76 | " | |
| Hines, Thomas | P | Pattens | Nov. 77 | War | Killed at Germantown Oct. 4th. 77 |
| Husbands, James | P | " | July 16. " | " | Corpl. 1. Oct. 77, missg. in action Aug. 16. 80, Serj. Aug. 1. 82, rejd. Jan. 6. 83, end of War |
| Haslet, Kenley | P | " | Nov. 77 | " | Deserted 7. Sept. 1780, rejd. Invalided Feb. 1. 1782 |
| Hill, Absolom | P | " | Mar. 4. 78 | " | died, time unknown, pr. Must. Dec. 78 |
| Hawks, Richd | P | " | Feb. 23. " | " | Prisoner May 78 |
| Heagnea, Cornelius | P | " | Oct. 77 | " | died March 15. 81, in Battle |
| Hays, Charles | P | " | " " | " | died Dec. 23. 77 |
| Hugg, Benjamin | P | " | " " | " | omitted June 79 |

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| Hughes, Robert | Serj. | Kirkwood | Jan. 1. 77 | War | reduced to Priv. May 79. deserted July 26. 79 |
| Hambleton, Charles | P | " | " 13. " | " | Corpl. June 3. 77, deserted May 7. 1780 |
| Higgins, Willm | P | " | " 1. " | " | died Jany 17. 1781, Killed in action |
| Hawkins, Charles | P | " | Mar. 22. 77 | " | desd. June 12. 77 |
| Hetherington, John | P | " | Jany 17. " | " | omitted Nov. 77 |
| Harper, Thomas | P | " | " 12. " | " | end of War |
| Hambleton, John | P | " | Feb. 5. 78 | " | |
| Hozea, John | P | " | " 11. " | " | Corpl. May 78, discharged May 1. 79 |
| Hazzard, Arthur | P | Wilson | Mar. 21. 80 | " | deserted pr. Must. of Oct. 80 say Desd. Sept. error, died Sept. 10. 1782 |
| Holston, Thomas | P | " | " 21. " | " | desd. Apl. 28. 80, rejd. trans. to Invalids Jan. 1. 81 |
| Hammon, James | P | Kirkwood | Oct. 78 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Highway, John | P | " | Aug. 8. 79 | " | ditto ditto ditto |
| Highland, Henry | P | Pattens | | | brot. from 3. Reg. Jersey July 12. 79, omitted Dec. |
| Holden, Frederick | P | Rhodes | Apl. 16. 79 | " | died Jany 10. 1781 |
| Hicks, Levin | P | Purvis | Aug. 31. 79 | " | Missing 16. Aug. 80–in action |
| Hill, George | P | Learmonth | July 28. 79 | " | Died April 15. 1781 |
| Hannah, John | P | Quenault | Mar. 26. 81 | " | to the end of the War |
| Hutchins, Major | P | " | " 31. " | " | to end of the War |
| Hudson, William | P | " | Dec. 1. 80 | " | end of War |
| Hanser, David | P | " | May 22. 81 | " | |
| Harman, Edwd | P | " | " 26. " | " | to end of War |
| Hutt, Preston | P | " | Mar. 26. 81 | " | to end of War |
| Hannah, John | P | " | Apl. 16. 81 | " | |
| Hammond, Joseph | P | " | Aug. 1. 79 | " | to end of War |
| Hitchins, Caleb | P | " | Mar. 31. 81 | " | ditto ditto |
| Heaton, John | P | " | July 30. 82 | " | Desd. Aug. 14. 82, taken by a prior enlistment |
| Henderson, Ephraim | P | | June 15. 82 | " | ditto June 82 |
| Hobbs, Mathias | P | | " 6. 82 | " | to end of War |
| Holston, Wm | | | 83 | " | deserted March 2. 83, Served to end of the War |

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| Jeffers, John | P | Stedham | Jan. 29. 76 | discharged. at the expiration of one year | |
| Johnston, John | P | " | Mar. 12. " | | |
| Jacquett, Peter | Ens. | Darbys | Jan. 17 " | | |
| Jeffs, James | P | " | " 22. " | | |
| Johnston, John | P | " | Feb. 23. " | | |
| Jester, Ebenezer | P | Vaughan | Jan. 17. " | | |
| Johnson, Joshua | P | " | " 20. " | | Desd. March 26. 1776 |
| Joanes, Wm. | P | " | " 21. " | | |
| Joanes, Edmond | P | " | Feb. 1. " | | |
| Joanes, James | P | " | " 3. " | | |
| Jenkins, John | P | " | " 8. " | | |
| Joanes, Francis | P | " | " 16. " | | |
| Joanes, Benjamin | P | " | " 16. " | | |
| Johnston, Adam | P | Moores | Nov. 77 | War | deserted July 25. 80 |
| Jordan, Griffith | Lieut. | Learmonth | Oct. 77 | | resigned Oct. 6. 77 |
| Jordan, Jonathan | Corpl. | " | " 77 | War | Serj. March 7. 78, end of War |
| Jackson, Ebenezer | P | " | Apl. 23. 78 | " | |
| Jacquett, Peter | Capt. | | " 5. 77 | | deranged June 1782 |
| Ingley, Willm. | P | Jacquett | Dec. 77 | War | died Feb. 23. 78 |
| Jones, Francis | P | " | Mar. 26. 78 | " | ditto Nov. 1. 78 |
| Jermin, Wm. | P | " | Apl. 8. " | " | desd. Apl. 29. 78 |
| Ingram, Eli | P | " | " 22. " | " | ditto May 12. 78 |
| Jones, Willm. | P | " | Feb. 23. 79 | " | deserted 6. May 80 |
| Joyles, Thomas | P | Holland | Dec. 77 | " | see G—(Giles) |
| Jackson, John | P | " | Mar. 27. 78 | " | deserted Sept. 1. 1781, rejd.,Served to end of the War |
| Jakes, George | P | Hazard | Oct. 77 | " | Pris. March 14. 78 |
| Johnson, John | P | " | " " | " | deserted Apl. 20. 78, rejd,. served to end of War |
| Jefferies, John | P | Anderson | " " | " | dischd. Nov. 7. 77 |
| Joab, Andrew | P | " | " " | " | taken by prior enlistment, trans. |

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| Joab, Moses | P | Kirkwood | Jan. 3. 77 | War | omitted Jany 79 |
| Jones, Geo. Stanford | P | " | Apl. 21. 78 | " | |
| Jones, Benjamin | Drum | Pattens | Feb. 1. 80 | " | end of War |
| Jones, Willm | P | Learmonth | Feb. 23. 79 | " | deserted 6. May 1780, rejd. 1. July 82 |
| Jackson, Levi | P | " | July 26. " | " | Missing in actionAug. 16. 80 |
| Ireland, Jonathan | P | " | June 10. 79 | " | ditto ditto ditto |
| Jones, William | P | Quenault | Mar. 20. 81 | " | |
| Jones, Lewis | P | " | " 19. " | " | |
| Johnston, Willm | P | " | Dec. 25. 81 | " | to end of War |
| K | | | | | |
| Kirkwood, Robt | Lieut. | Stedham | Jan. 13. 76 | discharged at the expiration of one year | |
| Killen, James | P | " | " 24. " | | |
| Kain, Tho | P | " | " " " | | |
| Kerrel, Willm | P | " | " 27. " | | |
| Kelley, Willm | P | " | Feb. 9. " | | |
| Kirkwood, Tho | P | Darby | Jan. 19. " | | deserted Feb. 4. 76 |
| Kelly, Willm | P | " | " 22. " | | |
| King, Alexander | P | " | " 27. " | | |
| Kidd, Charles | Serj. | Vaughan | " 15. " | | |
| Kershaw, Mitchell | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Kindley, John | P | Moores | July 25. 77 | War | omitted May 79, Died Dec. 78 |
| Knotts, Henry | P | " | Nov. 77 | " | Missing at Staten Island Aug. 22. 77 |
| Kincade, Jonath, | P | " | Aug. 8. 77 | " | taken by Capt. Henry by prior enlistment |
| Kenney, Willm | P | " | May 12. 77 | " | sick—omitted Apl. 78 |
| Keys, Willm | P | " | " 27. " | " | omitted June 79, to end of the War |
| Knotts, Harmond | P | " | " 20. " | " | deserted 26. Feb. 78, from the Hospital |
| Kayton, James | P | " | June 8. " | " | ditto Jany 24. 80, rejd. 1. Sept. 81 |
| Kirby, Griffith | P | Learmonth | Apl. 14. 78 | " | died Aug. 12. 78 |
| Kidd, Charles | Ensign | Jacquett | Apl. 5. 77 | | Lieut. Sept. 8. 78, Deranged June 1782 |
| Kershaw, Mitchell | Serj. | " | Dec. 77 | " | Missing in action 16. Aug. 80, Must. Mar. 83 to end of War |
| Kilkeny, Tim'y | P | " | " " | " | ditto ditto ditto Served to the end of War |
| Kinney, James | P | " | Mar. 5. 78 | " | trans. to Majors Compy Dec. 79, served to end of the War |

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| King, John* | P | Holland | Oct. 77 | War | omitted May 78, pr. Mus. of Oct. 80, say Sept. Desd. error served to end of War |
| Kirby, John | P | " | June 12. 77 | " | desd. Oct. 77 |
| Kimmey, Curtis | P | Hazard | Oct. 77 | " | died of his wounds Oct. 5. 77 |
| King, John* | P | Pattens | Mar. 13. 78 | " | desd. Aug. 79 |
| Kirkwood, Robt | Capt. | | Dec. 1. 77 | | Deranged June 1782 |
| Kelly, James | P | Kirkwood | Jan. 7. " | " | deserted June 13. 77 |
| Kearney, Dennis | P | " | " 18. " | " | died Jany 28. 1778 |
| Kelley, Wm | P | " | " 1. 77 | " | taken away by prior enlistment Oct. 19. 77 |
| Kilty, Willm | P | " | Dec. 26. 76 | " | died May 1782 |
| Knock, Geo | P | " | Jan. 5. 78 | " | deserted Dec. 79, rejd. July 7, 80, dischad. Mar. 20. 82 served to end of War |
| Kirts, George | Corpl. | Quenoult | Sept. 1. 81 | " | |
| L | | | | | |
| Lewis, Willm | P | Stedham | Jan. 17. 76 | discharged at the expiration of one year | |
| Lyon, John | P | " | " 19. " | | |
| Lynch, John | Serj. | Darby | " 20. " | | |
| Lackland, Joseph | P | " | " 25. " | | |
| Longwill, Robt | P | " | Feb. 13. " | | |
| Larkin, Henry | P | " | " 15. " | | |
| Lynam, James | P | " | " 28. " | | |
| Learmonth, John | Lieut. | Hall | Jan. 16. " | | |
| Lathberry, Geo | P | " | Feb. 16. " | | |
| Layton, Liliston | P | " | Mar. 10. " | | |
| Lear, Benjamin | P | " | Feb. 3. " | | |
| Lord, Tho | P | Vaughan | Jan. 21. " | | Des' Feby. 16. 76 |
| Leahea, Timothy | P | " | Feb. 18. " | | |
| Learca, Dennis | P | " | Mar. 3. " | | |
| Long, Samuel | P | Moores | Nov. 77 | War | |
| Learmonth, John | Capt. | | Apl. 5. 77 | | entitled to Commutation |
| Latimore, Saml | P | Learmonth | Apl. 1. 78 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Ledger, Nathanl | P | " | Apl. 6. " | " | Desd. July 26. 78 |

*Two John Kings

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Leary, Dennis | Corpl. | Jacquett | Oct. 77 | War | trans. to Invalids May 1780 |
| Lover, John or James | P | " | June 79 | " | deserted March 7. 80 |
| Lambard, Joseph | P | Holland | Oct. 77 | " | died 16. Nov. 77 |
| Lewellin, John | P | " | " 77 | " | omitted May 78, sick |
| Lahea, John | P | " | " " | " | to the end of the War |
| Layfield, Timothy | P | Hazard | " " | " | Dischd. June 1782, to end of War |
| Levingston, Neal | P | " | " " | " | to end of the War |
| Lucas, James | Adjutant | | Nov. 27. 76 | | resigned Adj. Aug. 15. 78 |
| Lawler, Danl | P | Patten | Nov. 77 | " | to the end of the War |
| Lacat, Mitchl | P | " | Mar. 12. 78 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80, rejd. Sept. 81 as Corpl. served to end of the War |
| Lirty, Nicholas | P | " | Feb. 13 " | " | Pris. May 78 |
| League, Willm | P | Anderson | Oct. 77 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Lamb, Terence | P | " | " " | " | desd. May 8. 77 |
| Lindsey, Saml | P | Kirkwood | Dec. 24. 76 | " | ditto Jan. 25. 77, rejd. July 1. 77 desd. July 26. 79 |
| Lea, Geo | P | " | Apl. 21. 78 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Lee, Peter | P | " | Aug. 25. 79 | " | desd. Jan. 12. 80, rejd. 27. Mar. 80, served to the end of the War |
| Lewis, William | P | " | Oct. 78 | " | Missing Aug. 16. 80, in action, died Sept. 10. 1781 |
| Laughly, Isaac | P | " | May 7. 79 | " | omitted Feb. 80 |
| Landsley, Isaac | P | Moores | Nov. 10. " | " | to end of the War |
| Lacatt, Levin | P | Patten | Aug. 14. 79 | " | trans. to Invalids Jan. 1. 82, served to end of the War |
| Lovett, Joseph | P | Rhodes | Feb. 28. 80 | " | missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Little, Wm | P | McKennan | May 18. 80 | " | ditto ditto ditto |
| Lingo, William | P | Learmonth | Apl. 80 | " | to the end of the War |
| Linegar, Edward | P | Quenoult | May 11. 81 | " | Deserted May 12. 1782 |
| Leonard, James | P | " | " 1. " | " | to the end of the War |
| Laha, George | P | " | Mar. 9. 81 | " | Discharged Feb. 14. 82, being a slave for life, & claimed |
| Little, S. Philip | P | " | " 5. 81 | " | to the end of the War |
| Lawson, James | P | " | May 28. 82 | " | desd. Sept. 10. 82 |
| Lowe, James | Serj. | | Feb. 1. 83 | " | to end of the War |
| Lingo, Saml | P | | " 27. 83 | " | ditto ditto |

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| McDonough, Tho. | Major | | Mar. 22. 76 | discharged at the expiration of one year | |
| Montgomery, Joseph | Chapl. | | Jan. 13. " | | |
| McCarter, James | Serj. | Stedham | Mar. 1. " | | |
| Manes, Michael | P | " | Jan. 17. " | | |
| Mitchell, John | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| McMullen, Robt. | P | " | " 24. " | | |
| McNotten, Danl. | P | " | Feb. 1. " | | |
| Morrison, Pierce | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| McCasleston, Saml. | P | " | Mar. 2. " | | |
| Miller, John | P | " | " 5. " | | |
| McGrady, Cornl. | P | " | " 5. " | | |
| McFarland, Robt. | P | " | " 9. " | | |
| Moones, James | P | " | " " " | | |
| McGonegal, John | P | " | " 14. " | | |
| Marshall, Edward | P | " | Apl. 24. " | | |
| Maxwell, Willm. | P | " | " 7. " | | |
| McGinnis, Arthur | P | " | Feb. 4. " | | deserted Feb. 24. 76 |
| Meers, Abraham | P | " | Mar. 9. " | | ditto Mar. 29. 76 |
| McManus, John | P | " | Jan. 19. " | | ditto Jan. 23. 76 |
| Marford, John | Corpl. | Darby | Jan. 29. " | | |
| Mullen, Edwd. | " | " | Feb. 16. " | | |
| McColgan, Richd. | P | " | Jan. 22. " | | |
| McBride, Archd. | P | " | " 24. " | | |
| McConohy, John | P | " | " 24. " | | |
| McDonald, John | P | " | " 24. " | | |
| Mechen, Benjamin | P | " | " 25. " | | deserted Mch. 25. 76 |
| McNelos, Conolly | P | " | " 25. " | | |
| Montgomery, James | P | " | Feb. 3. " | | |
| Moor, John | P | " | " " " | | |
| McCurd, Joseph | P | " | " 6. " | | |
| McGuire, Peter | P | " | " 11. " | | |
| McGill, James | P | " | " 13. " | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| McDonnell, Bernd..... | P | Darby | Feb. 13. 76 | discharged at the expiration of one year | |
| McIntire, Archd..... | P | " | " 13. " | | |
| McColgan, John..... | P | " | " 13. " | | |
| McGerie, Danl..... | P | " | " 15. " | | |
| McGee, Patrick..... | P | " | " 16. " | | |
| McClain, Hector..... | P | " | " 16. " | | |
| McDonnald, Phl..... | P | " | Mar. 1. " | | |
| Murray, Richd..... | Drum | " | Jan. 19. " | | |
| McGarry, Edwd..... | P | " | Apl. 12. " | | |
| Morgan, Manlove..... | Serj. | Hall | Jan. 16. " | | |
| Morgan, John..... | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| McIlvaine, David..... | P | " | " 24. | | |
| Maughar, Tho..... | P | " | ' 27. " | | |
| Murphy, Taylor..... | P | " | Feb. 1. " | | |
| McIlvaine, John..... | P | " | Jan. 19. " | | |
| Matthews, Tho..... | P | " | Mar. 13. " | | |
| Murphy, Willm. Jr..... | P | Vaughan | Jan. 17. " | | |
| Marriner, Henry..... | P | " | " 19. " | | |
| Maghee, Tho..... | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Murrey, Saml..... | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| Matingley, Tho..... | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| McCollister, Jam..... | P | " | " 29. " | | |
| Michall, Isaac..... | P | " | Feb. 14. " | | |
| Murry, John..... | P | " | Jan. 19. " | | |
| Murphy, Taylor, Wm..... | P | " | " 27. " | | |
| Moore, James..... | Capt. | | Dec. 2. 76 | War | Priso. Jan. 21. 78, Deranged June 1782 |
| Millan, David..... | Music | | do do | | taken by prior enlistment Apl. 18. 78 |
| Millway, Joseph..... | P | Moore | Nov. 77 | " | died 11. May 78 |
| Moody, Benj..... | P | " | " 77 | " | desd. Jan. 2. 80, rejd. Mar. 1. Wars end |
| McKennan, Willm..... | Captain | Learmonth | Apl. 1. " | " | entitled to Commutation |
| McLauchlin, Cornl..... | P | | Oct. 77 | " | dischd. March 15. 78 |
| Middleton, John..... | P | | " " | " | Corpl. May 1. 78, Wars end |

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| Matthews, John | P | Patten | Nov. 77 | War | deserted Jany 26. 80 |
| McLaughlin, Chas. | P | " | " " | " | trans. Apl. 22. 78 |
| McDowell, Joseph | P | " | " " | " | unfit for service Sept. 78 |
| Meeker, Elias | P | " | Aug. 3. " | " | trans. to Invalids Apl 23.. 80 |
| McClemmons, Jams. | P | " | Nov. " | " | omitted Aug. 78 |
| Miller, Saml. | P | " | June 24. " | " | deserted March 15. 80, rejd. ,Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Moore, Richd. | P | " | Aug. 20. " | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Mowberry, Tho. | P | " | July 26. " | " | Priso. Nov. 77 |
| Miller, Tho. | P | " | Mar. 78 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Moore, Ephraim | P | " | " 13. " | " | desd. Apl. 4. 78 |
| Moore, Isaac | P | " | " " " | " | Ditto |
| McDaniel, James | P | " | Feb. 10. " | " | Ditto 1. Apl. 78 |
| McDowell, Alexr. | P | " | Apl. 17. " | " | deserted Sept. 3. 80 |
| Murphy, James | Serj. | Anderson | Jan. 1. 77 | War | |
| McCann, Tho. | P | " | Oct. 77 | " | died Apl. 10. 80 |
| McGinniss, John | P | " | " " | " | omitted May 79 |
| McMurry, Saml. | P | " | " " | " | |
| McAfee, Joseph | P | " | " 77 | " | desd. March 8. 1780, rejd. |
| Moore, Edwd. | P | " | " " | " | dischd. Aug. 1. 77 |
| McCabe, John | P | " | " " | " | to end of the War |
| McCue, John | P | " | May 22. " | " | died Sept. 2d. 77 |
| Maxwell, Wm. | Corpl. | " | Mar. 1. " | " | Serjeant 1. Dec. 77, Wars end |
| McGuire, Tho. | do | " | May 21. " | " | Serj. May 1. 1778, Wars end |
| McVickers, Archd. | P | " | " 24. " | " | dischd. March 24. 78 |
| McCord, Patrick | P | " | Mar. 6. 78 | " | deserted March 27. 78 |
| McCode, William | P | " | " " " | " | |
| Mooney, Patrick | P | " | Apl. 11. " | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| McGill, John | P | " | May 17. " | " | Dischgd. June 1782 |
| McBride, Archd. | P | Kirkwood | Jan. 1. 77 | " | Corpl. May 78, Serj. May 78 |
| McKnight, John | P | " | Dec. 31. 76 | " | Wars end |
| Miller, Saml. | P | " | Jan. 13. 77 | " | |
| Moons, James | P | " | " 1. " | " | trans. to Invalids Feb. 1. 1782 |
| Miller, John | P | " | " 1. " | " | trans. to Invalids Aug. 7. 77, rejd. May 79 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| McConnell, Edwd. | P | | Mar. 17. 78 | War | desd. Mar. 17. 78, rejd, 16. May, shot at Wilmington May 25 |
| McMurdy, James | P | | Apl. 12. 78 | " | omitted Feb. 79 |
| McCully, Patrick | P | | " 20. " | " | desd. June 12. 78 |
| Mercer, Benjamin | P | | Mar. 1. " | " | desd. March 8. 78 |
| Mills, Ricketts | P | | " 4. " | " | do July 78 |
| Matthews, Tho. | Serj. | Jacquett | Dec. 77 | " | desd. Mar. 20. 78 |
| McCue, Patrick | P | | " 77 | " | died Nov. 6. 78 |
| McDonald, Danl. | P | | " 77 | " | Corpl. March 1. 78, dischd. Sept. 1. 78 |
| McWilliams, Stephen | Ensign | | Oct. 4. 79 | " | deranged May 21. 83 |
| Marine, Tho. | P | Jacquett | May 16. 78 | " | unfit for service Sept. 78 |
| McKinley, Jacob | P | " | " 22. " | " | desd. 28. 78, rejd. Dec. 78, missing in action Apl. 25. 82 |
| Murray, Danl. | P | " | June 1. 78 | " | Wars end |
| Murphy, Elisha | P | " | " 8. " | " | desd. June 12. 78 |
| Munday, Richard | P | Holland | Oct. 77 | " | omitted March 78 |
| Mehoney, Dennis | P | " | " " | " | Missing in Staten Isd. Aug. 22. 77 |
| McCurdy, Pattk. | P | " | May 21. " | " | Wars end |
| McClean, Tho. | P | " | June 6. " | " | died Dec. 77 |
| Morris, Zadock | P | " | " 1. " | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 70, desd. Sept. 20. 80, rejd. Dec. 17. 82, Served to end of the War |
| Meredith, Huriah | P | " | Mar. 6. 78 | " | died Sept. 29. 78 |
| Murphy, Elijah | P | " | " 6. " | " | desd. 8. Apl. 78, rejd Sept. 20, 78, omitted Feb. 79, died pr. Must. Jany 79 |
| Meredith, Levin | P | " | " 6. " | " | ditto 8. Apl. 78 |
| Meredith, John | P | " | " 6. " | " | ditto Apl. 8. 78 |
| Macklin, Eli | P | " | " 6. " | " | ditto " 14. |
| McGuffin, James | P | Hazard | Oct. 77 | " | ditto " 20. " |
| Mattenby, Tho. | P | " | " " | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Michael, Isaac | P | " | " " " | " | discharged Apl. 30. 79, L. Beweox in his plzce |
| McCann, Neal | P | " | Apl. 14. 78 | " | to end of War |
| Marshall, John | Music | " | " 6. " | " | |
| Montgomery, Joseph | Chapl. | | Nov. 27. 76 | | omitted March 78 |
| McClean, Benj. | Ensign | | Dec. 4. " | " | Resigned May 20. 78 |
| McGinnis, Michl. | Serj. | Patten | Sept. 1. 77 | " | resigned as Serj. 7. Aug. 78, desd. July 27. 79 |

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| ∞ McConoughy, Tho. or John | P | Kirkwood | Jany 1. 77 | War | desd. May 80 |
| McCallister, Patk. | P | " | Dec. 24. 76 | " | deserted April 1. 1780 |
| McDowell, John | P | " | June 1. 77 | " | died Apl. 12. 78 |
| Means, Abraham (Meirs) | P | " | Nov. 77 | " | |
| Miller, Thomas | P | " | June 24. " | " | |
| McCue, John | P | " | Dec. 8. " | " | desd. Dec. 27. 77 |
| Matthews, John | P | " | Jan. 12. " | " | |
| Miller, David | Music | " | Apl. 1. 78 | " | desd. Aug. 2d. 80 |
| Miller, or Millen, Robt. | P | Anderson | Sept. 78 | " | Wars end |
| McGuire, Willm. | P | Wilson | Jan. 80 | " | deserted June 22. 80 |
| McFarland, Robt. | P | " | Oct. 78 | " | died Feb. 79 |
| Morris, Edward | P | Kirkwood | July 22. 79 | " | Wars end |
| Michael, John | P | Patten | Sept. 25. " | " | deserted Jan. 18. 81 |
| McKee, Gibbs Godfrey | P | " | July 12. " | " | deserted Dec. 4. 79 |
| Mason, Thomas | P | Purvis | " 19. " | " | Wars end |
| McWilliams, Saml. | P | Rhodes | Feb. 26. 80 | " | Died Oct. 12. 80 |
| MeGee, Levin | P | " | " 29. " | " | Wars end |
| McCollock, John | P | Learmonth | " 10. 79 | " | deserted March 4. 80 |
| Mottleshow, Geo. | P | " | Oct. 23. " | " | ditto July 16. 1780 |
| McDonough, Philip | P | Jacquett | June 21. 81 | " | |
| Milloway, Isaac | P | " | Feb. 1. 82 | " | Wars end |
| McGibbons, Jos. | P | Quenoult | May 1. 81 | " | Discharged 20. Mar. 83 On pension |
| McDonough, James | P | " | " 29. 81 | " | Desd. Nov. 22. 81, retaken 26. Nov. 81. desd. June 26. 82 |
| Marriner, Gilbert | P | " | Mar. 12. 81 | " | to end of the War |
| McGaughy, Wm. | P | " | May 17. 81 | " | Wars end |
| Miller, Gilbert | P | " | June 25. 81 | " | |
| Miller, Robert | P | " | Apl. 9. 81 | " | deserted Feb. 19. 1782 |
| McBride, Roger | P | " | Mar. 20. 81 | " | Wars end |
| McGee, James | P | " | " 9. 81 | " | Wars end |
| Marshall, John | P | " | Apl. 20. 81 | " | |
| Marine, Charles | P | " | Dec. 82 | " | Joined from desertion June 82, desd. Sept. 10. Joined Nov. 15. 82, served to end of War |
| Murphy, Richard | P | | Aug. 17. 81 | " | Joined from desertion Mar. 21. 82, served to end of War |

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| McKell, John | P | | Dec. 16. 81 | War | |
| Manship, Henry | P | | Jan. 4. 82 | " | to end of War |
| McGonnagle, John | P | | " 1. 82 | " | to end of the War |
| McLean, James | P | | Feb. 18. 82 | " | deserted March 82 |
| Morris, Staton | P | | May 1. 82 | " | to end of the War |
| Millan, Robert | P | | " 27. 82 | " | |
| Millar, Willm | P | | July 4. 82 | " | to end of War |
| McMechen, Benjamin | P | | Aug. 7. 82 | " | desd. Aug. 17. 82 |
| Marriner, James | P | | July 7. 79 | " | desd. Mar. 18. 83 |
| Murphy, William | P | | | | recd. final settlement from Aug. 1. 1780 |
| Muscong, Jasper | P | | Oct. 2. 79 | & continued | Sept. 80, pr. Notes by Mr. Winder taken from the Muster |
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| Nicholson, Parker | P | Hall | Jany 17. 76 | Dischd. at expiration of one year | |
| Nottingham, Abel | P | " | " 30. " | | |
| Nichols, Saml | P | Moore | Nov. 77 | War | to end of the War |
| Nesbitt, Henry | P | Learmonth | Oct. " | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80, served to end of War |
| Neal, Hamilton | P | Jacquett | Feb. 14. 78 | " | See O'Neal |
| Nutter, Robert | P | " | Mar. 6. " | " | died Feb. 5. 79 |
| Norwood, Henry | P | " | " 24. " | " | desd. June 28. 78, rejd. 1. July 79, to end of War |
| Noble, John | P | " | Apl. 22. " | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Norwood, Henry | P | " | error | | |
| Newell, Willm | P | Hazard | Oct. 77 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Nash, Thomas | P | " | Jan. 1. 78 | " | Corpl. April 1. 78 |
| Nichols, Moses | P | Patten | Nov. 77 | " | to the end of the War |
| Nelson, John | P | " | " " | " | deserted 2d. Sept. 1780 |
| Norton, Nathan | P | " | " " | " | deserted Jan. 26. 80 |
| Neal, James | P | Kirkwood | Apl. 21. 78 | " | died Dec. 1. 82 |
| Nicols, Nehemiah | Corpl. | " | Oct. " | " | to end of the War |
| Norris, John | P | " | " " | " | omitted June 79 |
| Norman, Jno | P | " | Aug. 9. 79 | " | |

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| Owens, Joseph | P | Stedham | Jan. 24. 76 | dischd. at the expiration of one year | |
| Oliver, George | P | Hall | " 23. " | | |
| Owens, David | P | Vaughan | " 17. " | | |
| O'Neal, Hugh | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| O'Neal, Nehemiah | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Ogelsby, Thomas | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Orton, Willm | P | Learmonth | Oct. 77 | War | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80, to end of the War |
| O'Connell, Francis | P | " | Apl. 24. 78 | " | deserted May 27. 78 |
| Owens, Robert | P | " | Mar. 6. " | " | discharged May 25. 79 |
| Orum, Robert | QM Serj. | | " 10. 77 | | from Serj. to end of the War |
| Owins, Willm | P | Patten | July 26. " | | deserted March 20. 78 |
| Oglesby, Willm | P | Purvis | Sept. 4. 79 | | ditto Apl. 27. 80 |
| Oneal or Neal, Hamilton | Serj. | Quenlt. | Sept. 1. 81 | " | see Neal, Wars end |
| O'Neal, James | P | " | Apl. 17. 81 | " | Wars end |
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| Paulson, John | P | Stedham | Jan. 19. 76 | discharged at the expiration of one year | |
| Pike, Stephen | P | " | Feb. 3. " | | |
| Porter, Tho | P | " | Mar. 11. " | | |
| Popham, Wm | Lieut. | Darby | Jan. 13. " | | |
| Peterson, John | P | " | " 18. " | | |
| Pennington, Wm | P | " | Mar. 3. " | | desd. March 4. 76 |
| Preston, Joseph | P | " | Apl. 12. " | | |
| Pride, Luke | P | Hall | Jan. 17. " | | |
| Pride, Job | P | " | Feb. 3. " | | |
| Peckham, Stephen | P | " | " 7. " | | |
| Ponder, John | P | " | " 7. " | | |
| Price, William | P | " | Jan. 20. " | | |
| Perkins, John | P | Vaughan | " 21. " | | |
| Park, James | Music | " | " 15. " | | |
| Pigot, John | P | " | " 16. " | | |
| Plunkett. Tho | P | " | " 20. " | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pharis, Moses | Serj. | Moore | June 2. 77 | War | end of War |
| Preston, John | P | " | Nov. 77 | " | ditto |
| Plowman, Willm. | P | " | " 77 | " | ditto |
| Peale, William | P | " | " " | " | |
| Parker, John | P | " | " " | " | died 11. Nov. 78 |
| Pain, Benjamin | P | " | July 13. " | " | sick, omitted Apl. 78 |
| Pusly, John | Corpl. | Learmonth | Oct. 77 | " | omitted Apl. 78 |
| Parker, John | P | " | " " | " | discharged Sept. 8. 78 |
| Pennington, Wm. | P | " | " " | " | desd. Apl. 1. 78 |
| Powell, John | P | " | " " | " | desd. Nov. 1. 77, rejd. 16. May 78, omitted Feb. 79 |
| Patterson, Willm. | P | " | Apl. 1. 78 | " | omitted Jan. 79, rejd. 1. Sept. 81 |
| Proctor, John | P | " | " 23. " | " | died Aug. 5. 78 |
| Patterson, Hugh | Corpl. | Jacquett | Dec. 77 | " | Serj. March 1. 78 omitted Aug. 79 |
| Paris, Eliakin | P | " | Apl. 22. 78 | " | Deserted 8. May 1781 |
| Parker, John | Music | Holland | Oct. 77 | " | Priso. in Phila. omitted Feb. 78 |
| Pimm, Wm. | P | " | " " | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Parke, James | Music | " | " " | " | Missing Sept. 16. 77 |
| Parsons, Danl. | P | " | " " | " | discharged Jan. 1. 78 |
| Pope, Charles | Lieut. Colo. | | Apl. 5. 77 | " | Resigned Dec. 13. 79 |
| Platt, John | Surg. Mate | | " 1. " | | |
| Purvis, Geo. | Lieut. | | Dec. 3. 76 | | Appod. Adjutant Aug. 15. 78, Captain, deranged May 21. 83 |
| Patten, John | Captain | | Nov. 30. 76 | | Major, entitled to Commutation |
| Perry, Willm. | P | Patten | Nov. 77 | " | to end of the War |
| Peterson, John | P | " | " " | " | Invalided Jany 1. 1782 |
| Phillips, John | P | " | " " | " | Deserted 3. May 1781 |
| Peterson, Joseph | P | " | " " | " | Trans. to the Artificers May 14. 77 |
| Perry, Joshua | Serj. | " | Jan. 19. " | " | reduced to Priv. Nov. 10. 77, resd. Jan. 24. 78, redcd. July 20. 78 |
| Patterson, James | P | " | Oct. " | " | Priso. Aug. 22. 77 |
| Purnal, John | P | Anderson | " " | " | |
| Pollard, Andw. | P | Kirkwood | Dec. 26. 76 | " | trans. to Invalids Jan. 1. 81, lost an arm |
| Pemberton, John | P | " | " 6. " | " | desd. Mar. 77, rejd. July 1. 77, Dischgd. June 1782 |
| Pierce, Andw. | P | " | Apl. 24. 78 | " | |

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| Price, Solomon | P | Kirkwood | Apl. 21. 78 | War | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Pointer, Levin | P | Willson | Aug. 79 | " | trans. to Invalids Feb. 1. 1782 |
| Pickering, Littleton | P | Patten | June 5. 78 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Piles, Samuel | P | | Dec. 16. 79 | " | ditto ditto ditto |
| Paterson, Wm | P | Jacquett | Apl. 10. 81 | " | Corpl. 1. Sept. 81 |
| Powell, Thomas | P | Quenoult | May 2. 81 | " | end War |
| Platt, John | Ensign | " | | | Lieut. entitled to Commutation |
| Pennewell, Charles | P | " | June 1. 81 | " | Deserted July 1782 |
| Pusely, Peter | P | | Feb. 14. 82 | " | to end of the War |
| Price, James or Ben. Pride | P | | Apl. 30. 80 | " | desd. Apl. 82 |
| Preston, Joseph | P | | | | recd. final settlement from 1st Aug. 80 |
| **Q** | | | | | |
| Quigley, Edwd | P | Darby | Jan. 19. 76 | | dischgd at expiration of one year |
| Quenault, Paul | Lieut. | Kirkwood | Dec. 1. 77 | | Capt. Jan. 1. 81, Died Dec. 1. 82 |
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| Rummin, Tho | P | Stedham | Feb. 28. 76 | dischgd. at the expiration of one year | |
| Ross, David | P | " | Mar. 19. " | | |
| Reyley, Matth | P | Darby | Jan. 20. " | | |
| Ruddin, James | P | " | Apl. 12. " | | |
| Robeson, Geo | P | " | Feb. 16. " | | |
| Rowland, Tho | P | Hall | Jan. 16. " | | |
| Rawlins, Abel | P | " | " 28. " | | |
| Reynolds, James | P | " | Feb. 20 " | | |
| Robinson, Michl | P | " | Mar. 4. " | | |
| Richardson, John | P | Vaughan | Jan. 15. " | | |
| Roberts, John | P | Moores | June 24. 77 | War | omitted Sept. 79, Corpl. Jan. 80, resigned 16. Sept. 80, to end of War |
| Records, Peter | | Learmonth | Feb. 26. 78 | " | Deserted Jany. 1. 1781 |
| Russell, Robert | P | " | Apl. 23. " | " | |
| Riggin, Joseph | P | " | Mar. 4. " | " | deserted July 78 |
| Redman, James | P | " | Dec. 77 | " | ditto Sept. 2d. 1780 |
| Rainger, Benjamin | P | " | May 29. " | " | deserted May 30. 77 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Russell, Wm. | P | Jacquett | Oct. 78 | War | |
| Rhodes, John | Lieut. | Holland | Dec. 4. 76 | " | Capt. Mar. 1. 79, died Oct. 26. 1780 |
| Roe, Willm. | P | " | Oct. 77 | " | deserted May 13. 79, rejd. Jun. 3. 79, trans. to Invalids May 80 |
| Randum, John | P | " | " " | " | ditto June 5. 80 |
| Russell, Henry | P | " | Jun. 13. 78 | " | |
| Richardson, Benjamin | P | Hazard | Oct. 78 | " | deserted March 5. 80 |
| Robison, Edward | P | " | Mar. 2. 78 | " | Music Apl. 1. 78, Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Roche, Edward | Q Mr. | | June 21. 77 | | 2d. Lieut. Sept. 10. 78, resigned QMr. Jun. 21. 77, entitled to Commutation |
| Rowan, John | Serj. | Patten | Nov. 77 | " | reduced Aug. 1. 80, to end of the War |
| Rowan, Henry | Corpl. | " | " 77 | " | to end of the War |
| Redden, Wm. | P | " | " " | " | Corpl. Feb. 1. 78, Serj. Feb. 27. 80, trans. to Invalids Jan. 1. 82 |
| Roberts, Henry | P | " | Aug. 20. " | " | Deserted Mar. 13. 78, rejd. Feb. 26. 82, Served to end of War. |
| Robinson, James | P | " | Nov. 77 | " | dischd. Jerh. Calagan in his place July 4. 77 |
| Read, Frederick | P | " | Oct. " | " | missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Robertson, John | P | Anderson | Feb. 24. 78 | " | trans. to Invalids Apl. 22. 80, rejd. 1. Aug. 81, Invalided 1. Feb. 82, to end of War |
| Rambough, Wm. | P | Kirkwood | Apl. 24. " | " | dischgd. Feb. 10. 79 for Wm. Collock |
| Richard, John | P | " | " 6. " | " | see Burchard |
| Ridgway, Zed. | P | " | " 21. " | " | Invalided 1. Jany. 1782 |
| Roades, Thomas | P | " | May 30. " | " | to end of the War |
| Rowley, John | P | Wilson | Mar. 21. 80 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Royal, Jesse | P | Purvis | Feb. 27. 79 | " | to end of the War |
| Reddick, James | P | " | Aug. 17. 79 | " | Died Dec. 4. 79 |
| Rider, John | P | Learmonth | Nov. 2. 79 | " | deserted March 19. 1780 |
| Ryan, John | P | Quenoult | Mar. 14. 81 | " | to end of the War |
| Rawlin, Saml. | P | " | Feb. 7. 82 | " | deserted Feb. 23. 83, drumd. out of the Reg. in 1783 |
| Reed, William | P | " | July 30. 82 | " | deserted July 29. 82, taken away by previous enlistment |
| Reardon, John | P | | Mar. 9. 83 | " | to end of the War |

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| Stedham, Joseph | Captain | | Jan. 13. 76 | discharged at the expiration of one year | |
| Stenson, James | Corpl. | Stedham | " 17. " | | |
| Smith, Willm. | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| Smith, Solomon | P | " | " 26. " | | |
| Smith, Saml. | Serj. | Darby | " 22. " | | |
| Sharp. Tho. | Corpl. | " | " 25. " | | |
| Sharp. William | P | " | " 25. " | | |
| Scott, Timothy | P | " | " 25. " | | |
| Sherry, Roger | P | " | " 27. " | | |
| Smith, James | P | " | " 30. " | | |
| Simpson, Tho. | P | " | Feb. 16. " | | |
| Stephenson, Joseph | Corpl. | Halls | Jan. 20. " | | |
| Staton, Robert | Corpl. | " | Jan. 18. " | | |
| Smith, John | P | " | " 18. " | | |
| Salmons, Robert | P | " | " " | | |
| Stephenson, Geo. | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Skidmore, Thomas | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Smith, James | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Smith, John | P | " | " 21. " | | |
| Staton, Tho. | P | " | " 21. " | | |
| Stears, Richard | Music | Vaughan | " 23. " | | |
| Swampstead, Huthins | P | " | " 17. " | | |
| Smith, Willm. Senr. | P | " | " 19. " | | |
| Sanders, Jabas | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| Stoary, Jereboam | P | " | " 27. " | | |
| Smith, Willm. Junr. | P | " | Feb. 8. " | | |
| Sulivan, John | P | " | " 16. " | | |
| Sneed, Geo. | P | " | Mar. 5. " | | |
| Stephens, John | P | " | " 8. " | | deserted March 11. 76 |
| Story, Amos | P | " | Apl. 12. " | | |
| Simpson, Benj. | P | " | Jan. 17. " | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Spencer, John | Corpl. | Moores | Nov. 77 | War | Serj. June 4, 78, Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Shadock, John | P | " | " 77 | " | deserted 26. Feb. 78 |
| Smith, Willm | P | " | " " | " | to end of the War |
| Shelton, John | Subt. only | " | " 77 | " | deserted Aug. 16. 77 |
| Sipple, Martinus | P | " | " " | " | |
| Steward, George | P | " | July 25. " | " | detained at home for trial at Court. per Must. |
| Smith, John | P | Learmonth | Oct. " | " | omitted Jany. 79 |
| Scott, Absalom | P | " | " " | " | deserted Nov. 1. 77 |
| Steward, James | P | " | " " | " | ditto ditto |
| Smith, Willm | P | " | Apl. 27. 78 | " | dischgd. June 1782 |
| Scotten, Tho. Senr | P | " | " 24. " | " | desd. July 26. 78 |
| Scotten, Tho. Junr | P | " | " 24. " | " | ditto ditto |
| Smith, Robert | Serj. | Jacquett | Dec. 77 | " | ditto Dec. 77 |
| Smith, Willm | P | " | Oct. " | " | omitted Apl. 78 |
| Stuart, James | P | " | May 22. 77 | " | deserted May 23. 77 |
| Stawford, Robert | P | " | Mar. 20. 78 | " | Dischgd June 1782 |
| Skillington, Elijah | Ensign | " | Apl. 5. 77 | " | Lieut. Sept. 8. 78 |
| Simpson, Willm | P | " | Aug. 79 | | |
| Steward, Geo | P | " | July 24. " | " | omitted Jany 1780, Invalided Jany 1. 1782 |
| Scott, James | P | " | Mar. 10. 80 | " | Died Jany 20. 81—in battle |
| Skinner, Willm | Music | Holland | Oct. 77 | " | Wars end |
| Sapp, Joseph | P | " | Apl. 3. 78 | " | Invalided Jany 1. 1782 |
| Saunders, Jabez | Corpl. | Hazard | Oct. 77 | " | died of his wounds Nov. 5. 77 |
| Steers, Richard | Music | " | " " | " | Fife Major March 10. 77 |
| Slaughter, Michael | P | " | " " | " | Priso. at N York Oct. 77 |
| Scott, Geo | P | " | " " | " | deserted Oct. 77 |
| Scott, Joseph | P | Pattens | " " | " | Missing Aug. 22. 77 |
| Sheron, John | P | " | " " | " | deserted June 3. 1777 |
| Sapington, Tho | P | " | Jan. 2. 78 | " | omitted Feb. 78 |
| Scantling, Willm | P | " | Mar. 4. 78 | " | died Nov. 3. 1778 |
| Streeps, Robert | P | " | Feb. 18. " | " | Prisonr May 78 |

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| Spear, F. Henry | P | Anderson | Oct. 1. 77 | War | died Nov. 16. 78 |
| Smith, James | Music | " | Mar. 2. 78 | " | Deserted Dec. 7. 79 |
| Stewart, Alexr. | Lieut. | Kirkwood | Dec. 1. 77 | | Prisoner & exchanged, never joined the Regt. afterwards |
| Stevenson, James | Serj. | " | Apl. 1. " | " | reduced to Priv. July 1. 77, under sentence of death, omitted May 80 |
| Smith, John | Corpl. | " | " 1. " | " | deserted June 3. 77 |
| Seamer, Willm. | P | " | May 3. 77 | " | Corpl. July 1. 77, Serj. Major Wars end |
| Service, John | P | " | Sept 21 " | " | end of War |
| Stevens, John | P | " | Feb. 16. 78 | " | deserted June 10. 80, rejd. Feb. 13. 82, desd. July 1782 |
| Slay, William | P | " | Apl. 23. " | " | Wars end |
| Shehorn, Joshua | P | " | " 21. " | " | Deserted May 1781 |
| Streeps, Robert | P | Wilson | Aug. 11. 79 | " | Wars end |
| Slaven, Alexander | P | " | Mar. 12. 80 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Stewart, John | P | Kirkwood | Aug. 4. 79 | " | Died Sept. 8. 1781 in Battle |
| Simpson, Wm. | P | Moores | Apl. 15. 79 | " | to end of the War |
| Statem, Joseph | P | Pattens | Aug. 5. 79 | " | Fife Feb. 1. 80, end of War |
| Sheridan, James | P | Purvis | July 5. 79 | " | |
| Saxton, Tho. | P | Corse | Feb. 26. 80 | " | |
| Stevins, Dennis | P | Learmonth | Apl. 80 | " | |
| Simmonds, Wm. | P | Quenoult | June 6. 81 | " | end of the War |
| Slaven, Dennis | P | " | Mar. 20. 80 | " | deserted 1. Nov. 81 |
| Sayles, Elia | P | " | Feb. 7. 82 | " | Corpl. 1. Aug. 82 |
| Seed, James A. | P | " | 1781 | " | |
| Songo, James | P | | Dec. 25. 81 | " | |
| Stableford, Willm. | P | | Jan. 17. 82 | " | deserted Mar. 10. 82, rejd. Nov. 19. 82, deserted Feb. 23. 83 |
| Sullivan, Willm. | P | | Feb. 13. 82 | " | to end of the War |
| Stephens, John | | | Apl. 5. 82 | " | deserted July 29. 82, Joined Aug. 20. taken away by prior enlistment |
| Sill, Joseph | P | | " 28. " | " | Ditto Apl. 82 |
| Savage, Tho. | P | | Sept. 9. 82 | " | deserted Sept. 82 |
| Stanton, William | P | | Aug. 6. 79 | | Recd. final Settlement from 1st. Aug. 80 |

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| T | | | | | |
| Taylor, Richard | P | Stedham | Jan. 25. 76 | discharged at the expiration of one year | |
| Tilton, James | Surg. | " | " 13. " | | |
| Thomas, Bush, Jos. | P | Darby | " 19. " | | |
| Taylor, Robert | P | " | Feb. 6. " | | |
| Thompson, Joseph | P | " | " 16. " | | |
| Thomas, Henry | P | " | " 23. " | | |
| Tracy, Tho. | P | " | Mar. 4. " | | |
| Turner, Thomas | P | Hall | Jan. 20. " | | |
| Truitt, Joseph | Lieut. | Vaughan | " 21. " | | |
| Turner, Henry | P | " | " 16. " | | |
| Truitt, Newbold | P | " | " 17. " | | |
| Taylor, Stephen | P | " | " 19. " | | |
| Thompson, Tho. | P | " | Feb. 16. " | | |
| Truitt, Philip | P | " | " 3. " | | |
| Thompson, Benj. | P | " | " 9. " | | |
| Treasure, Richard | P | Moores | Nov. 77 | War | Died Jan. 20. 1781, wounded & lost his leg |
| Turner, James | P | Learmonth | Oct. " | " | to the end of the War |
| Taylor, Willm. | P | " | " " | " | died June 10. 77 |
| Townsend, Wm. | P | " | Apl. 27. 78 | " | deserted July 78 |
| Timmons, Zadoc | P | " | Mar. 26. " | " | ditto |
| Turner, John | P | " | Apl. 7. " | " | to end of the War |
| Tucker, Zedick | P | " | " 22. " | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Toland, Adam | P | Jacquett | Apl. 1. " | " | to end of the War |
| Thornton, Nathl. | P | Holland | Mar. 6. 78 | " | deserted 8. Apl. 78 |
| Thomas, Willm. | P | " | July 13. 78 | " | died Oct. 28. 78 |
| Thompson, Tho. | Serj. | Hazzard | Oct. 77 | " | to end of the war |
| Truitt, Philip | P | " | " " | " | |
| Trussum, James | | | | | QMr. June 21. 77, resigned QMr. Sept. 15. 77 |
| Thompson, Robert | Music | Pattens | Nov. " | " | died Jany. 25. 1781 |
| Tuttle, John (Tulley) | P | " | " " | " | deserted June 5. 77, rejd. Nov. 10. 77, desd. Jan. 31 78, rejd. July 19. 79 |
| Townsend, Thomas | P | " | " " " | " | ditto Jun. 3 77 rej'd Mar. 78 Corpl. July 80. to end of war |
| Taylor, Willm. | P | " | Mar. 78 | " | deserted Mar. 19. 78 |

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| Tobin, James | P | Pattens | Feb. 17. 78 | War | |
| Truitt, Purnal | P | " | " 19. " | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Timmons, Jesse | P | " | Mar. 10 " | " | desd. March 27. 78, rejd. Nov. 22. 78, Died Dec. 1. 1780 |
| Traysor, Emanuel | Corpl. | Anderson | " 1. 77 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Tenck, Wm | P | " | Oct. " | " | Died May 7. 77 |
| Todd, John | P | " | May 26. 78 | " | trans. to the Invalids Jan. 1. 1782 |
| Toland, Benjamin | P | " | Feb. 20. " | " | Died Jany 79 |
| Toland, Hugh | P | " | " 20. " | | died Nov. 78 |
| Taylor, Richard | P | Kirkwood | Jan. 8. 77 | " | deserted Sept. 80 error, served to end of the War |
| Toole, Thomas | P | " | Dec. 23. 76 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Timmons, Robert | P | " | Feb. 10. 78 | " | omitted June 78, Deserted 1. July 82, rejd. Sepr. 14. 82, Served to end of War |
| Toland, John | P | " | Apl. 1. " | " | died Mar. 15. 1781 in Battle |
| Toland, James | P | " | " 2. " | " | deserted March 19. 80 |
| Thompson, Benjamin | P | " | May " | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Thomas, George | P | Wilson | Aug. 29. 79 | " | deserted Jany 27. 80 |
| Turner, Mattocks | P | Quenoult | " 12. 81 | " | Died Dec. 10. 81 |
| Thompson, Joseph | P | " | Mar. 6. 81 | " | to end of the War |
| Turner, Laban | P | " | Jan. 16. " | " | to end of the War |
| Teazer, Aaron | P | " | May 2. " | " | to end of the War |
| Timmons, Joshua | P | | Feb. 15. 83 | " | ditto ditto |
| V | | | | | |
| Vandever, Andw | P | Stedham | Jan. 22. 76 | discharged at the expiration of one year | |
| Vansant, John | P | " | " 29. " | | |
| Virden, Marnit | Corpl. | Halls | " 16. " | | |
| Virden, Levi | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Virden, Hugh | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Victor, Elijah | P | " | Apl. 7. " | | |
| Vaughan, Joseph | Capt. | | Jany 21. " | | |
| Vaughan, Willm | Ens. | Vaughan | " 21. " | | |
| Vingan, John | Corpl. | Moores | Nov. 77 | War | reduced to Fife June 2. 77, Corpl. June 10. 78, deserted Feb. 9. 80 |
| Vaughan, Joseph | Major | | Apl. 5. 77 | | Lt. Colo., entitled to Commutation |
| Vaughan, John | P | Pattens | Nov. 77 | " | deserted Apl. 23. 78 |

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| Vinson, Eben | P | Pattens | Feb. 27. 78 | War | deserted March 27. 78 |
| Vaughan, Levin | P | " | Mar. 5. 78 | " | ditto Apl. 1. 78 |
| Vandelip, Frederick | P | Anderson | Oct. 77 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Vance, John | P | " | Apl. 23. 78 | " | deserted June 6. 78 |
| Vaughan, John | Ensign | Jacquett | Oct. 20. 80 | " | Lieut., deranged Jany 1. 1783 |
| Vinyard, John | | Moores | Jan. 5. 77 | | |
| W | | | | | |
| Williams, John | P | Stedham | Jan. 24. 76 | discharged at the expiration of one year | |
| Walraven, Wm | P | " | " 26. " | | |
| Watson, Tho | P | " | Feb. 7. " | | |
| Willson, John | P | " | Jan. 26. " | | desd. Feb. 13. 76 |
| Willson, Tho | P | " | Feb. 1. " | | |
| White, William | Serj. | Darby | Jan. 19. " | | |
| Ward, James | P | " | " 22. " | | |
| Wainwright, James | P | " | Feb. 3. " | | |
| Wiley, Hugh | P | " | " 13. " | | |
| Warrington, Wm | Corpl. | Hall | Jan. 16. " | | |
| Walker, Jesse | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Warrington, John | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Williamson, Cuthbert | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Wildgoose, Robert | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Wimberg, Elijah | P | " | " 21. " | | deserted Apl. 11. 76 |
| West, Luke | P | " | " 22. " | | |
| Walker, Robert | P | " | " 25. " | | |
| Watson, Tho | P | " | Feb. 2. " | | |
| Warrington, Jacob | P | " | Mar. 8. " | | |
| West, Alexander | P | " | Jan. 17. " | | |
| Wilkins, Truitt | P | Vaughan | " 18. " | | |
| Wright, James | P | " | " 20. " | | |
| Wildgoose, Tho | P | " | " 20 " | | |
| Willis, Henry | P | " | " 21. " | | |
| Williams, Solomon | P | " | Feb. 15. " | | |
| Wright, Willm | P | " | " 16. " | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wilson, John | Lieut. | Moore | Dec. 1. 76 | War | Capt. March 2d. 79, deranged Jany 1. 1783 |
| Wingan, John | Corpl. | " | Nov. 77 | " | reduced to Fife June 2. 77, See "V" |
| Weston, Geo. | P | " | May 13. " | " | died May 4. 77 |
| Williams, Tho. | Serj. | Learmonth | Oct. " | " | Missing Aug. 11. 77 omitted |
| Wild, Richard | Lieut. | Jacquett | Apl. 5. 77 | " | Wounded Oct. 4. 77, disabled per Muster of July 78, resigned Aug. 15. 78 |
| White, Henry | P | " | Dec. 77 | " | unfit for service July 26. 78 |
| Watkinson, Benj. | P | " | May 11. 78 | " | Died Nov. 2. 78 |
| Wright, Willm. | P | " | Apl. 22. " | " | end of War |
| Williams, Isaac | P | " | " 22. " | " | Died 10. Sept. 1781 |
| Williams, Charles | P | " | Mar. 19. 78 | " | omitted Sept. 78 |
| Wallace, Willm. | P | " | Dec. 78 | " | Made up in the accounts from Aug. 80 to 83 |
| Willobee, David | P | " | Aug. 3. 79 | " | Missing in action Aug. 16. 80 |
| Whiteworth, Wm. | P | Holland | Oct. 77 | " | |
| Webster, John | P | " | May 23. " | " | |
| Wiley, John | P | " | Oct. 77 | " | Deserted Feb. 4. 1781 |
| Wright, James | P | " | " " | " | died of his wounds Oct. 8. 77 |
| Wild, Joseph | Lieut. | Hazard | Apl. 5. " | | Resigned Aug. 15. 1778 |
| Wilson, Hosea | Serj. | Pattens | Nov. " | " | end of War |
| Whittington, John | P | " | " " | " | discharged 6. May 78 |
| Wooden, Saml. | P | " | Mar. 7. " | " | Deserted 1. Sept. 1781, rejd., served to end of War |
| Williams, Tho. | Corpl. | Anderson | " 1. " | " | taken away by prior enlistment |
| Wharton, Charles | P | " | Oct. " | " | destd. Oct. 24. 80, rejd. Aug. 82, served to end of War |
| Williams, Joseph | P | " | " " | " | |
| Webs, Alexr. | P | " | " " | " | desd. May 8. 77 |
| Walker, Willm. | P | " | Apl. 2. 78 | " | to the end of the War |
| Willet, Christian | P | Kirkwood | Jan. 2. 77 | " | |
| Willis, Henry | P | " | Dec. 24. " | " | to end of the War |
| Wainwright, James | P | " | Jan. 2. " | " | Died Jan. 25. 1781 |
| Walker, Thomas | P | " | " 1. " | " | ditto Jan. 25. 1781 in Battle |
| Windsor, John | P | " | Feb. 7. " | " | Died Oct. 18. 1778 |
| Wilkinson, James | P | " | " 8. " | | Died 1. Apl. 1781 |
| Willis, Wm. | P | " | " 28. " | " | Died May 1. 1781 in Battle |

| NAMES | COMPANY &c | | Date of Enlistment | Time of Service | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Weldin, Eli | P | Kirkwood | Apl. 24. 77 | War | omitted Jan. 79 |
| Ward, Danl. or David | P | Wilson | Jun. 14. 79 | " | Missing in action 16. Aug. 80 |
| Watkins, John | P | " | Oct. 78 | " | end of War |
| Willett, Christopher | P | " | " " | " | ditto ditto |
| Williams, Francis | P | Kirkwood | Sept. 6. 79 | " | deserted Apl. 10. 1781 |
| Watson, Solomon | P | Rhodes | Dec. 79 | " | deserted March 19. 80 |
| Windsor, Philip | Drum | Quenoult | June. 11. 81 | " | end of War |
| Waples, John | P | " | Apl. 20. 80 | " | died Nov. 14. 82 |
| Warwick, James | P | " | Mar. 29. " | " | died Oct. 20. 82 |
| Wiles, Abram | P | " | " 6. 81 | " | to end of the War |
| Whaley, Edward | P | | Jan. 28. 82 | " | ditto ditto |
| Wooden, Dolbee | P | | Feb. 3. 81 | " | ditto ditto |
| Warren, Levin | P | | " 4. 82 | " | deserted Sept. 10. 82 |
| Watson, Willm | P | | Apl. 10. 82 | " | ditto June 82 |
| Wallen, Nelson | P | | May 2. 82 | " | to end of War |
| White, John | P | | Apl. 27. 82 | " | ditto ditto |
| Wilson, Hugh | P | | May 24. 82 | " | deserted July 82 |
| Wilson, John | P | | Jun. 24. 82 | " | ditto ditto |
| Williams, John | P | | July 1. 82 | " | died Sept. 3. 1782 |
| Wood, Isaac | P | | 83 | " | discharged April 12. 83 |
| **Y** | | | | | |
| Young, David | P | Stedham | Feb. 2. 76 | | Discharged at the expiration of one year |
| Young, David | P | Anderson | Jun. 8. 77 | War | Corpl. Jan. 78, reduced Jun. 1. 80, Died Jan. 1. 81 in Battle |
| Young, James | P | Quenoult | Mar. 10. 81 | " | Discharged June 1782, served to end of the War |

## DIVISION OF PRIZE MONEY

The following is the Order of Distribution directed by a Decree of the Court of Admiralty of the Delaware State to be made of the monies arising from the Sales of the Cargo &c. of the Schooner Alert, and also of the Ship Mermaid, her Tackle, Apparel, Furniture and Cargo, to wit.

CONTINENTAL BOATS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | Effingham & Washington | 29 Men |

PENNSYLVANIA BOATS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 2 | Eagle | 9 Men |

PRIVATE BOATS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 3 | Fame | 11 Men |
| 4 | Wasp | 8 Men |
| 5 | Hornet | 6 Men |
| 6 | Argus | 8 Men |
| 7 | Arnold | 6 Men |
| 8 | Christiana | 12 Men |
| 9 | Apollo | 7 Men |
| | Total | 96 Men |

The nett Proceeds of the Cargo &c. of the Schooner Alert is to be divided into 96 Parts;–29 of which Parts are to be divided between the Continent, and the Officers and Men of the Effingham & Washington according to the Resolutions of Congress.

9 of which Parts, according to the Resolves of Congress, are to be divided between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the Officers and Men of the Eagle; or otherwise according to the Laws and Regulations of the said Commonwealth.

11 of which Parts, according to the Resolves of Congress, are to be divided among the Owners or Charterers of the Fame and her Officers and Men according to the agreements among them.

8 Parts to the Wasp in the same manner.
6 Parts to the Hornet in the same manner
8 Parts to the Argus in the same manner
6 Parts to the Arnold in the same manner
12 Parts to the Christiana in the same manner
7 Parts to the Apollo in the same manner

It is further considered and decreed by the Court, that, after deducting the Costs of Condemnation and other Court Charges, the Charges and Commissions on the Sales, and the Charges of Storage, Brokerage, Carriage and securing the Apparel, Furniture, Tackle and Cargo of the Prize Ship Mermaid, the nett Proceeds of the money arising on the Sales thereof be divided into 76 Parts, and distributed as follows among the armed Boats &c. decreed Captors of the said Prize, Vizt.

| | |
|---|---|
| Effingham & Washington | 29 Parts thereof to be paid by the Marshall to the Agent or Agents of the United States and all the captors concerned in the Continental armed Boats Effingham & Washington, to be divided by the said Agent or Agents between the United States and the Officers and Men on board to be distributed among them according to the Proportions settled and directed by Congress. |
| Eagle | 9 Parts thereof is to be paid by the Marshall to the Agent or Agents of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and all the Captors concerned in the Pennsylvania armed Boat Eagle, to be divided by the said Agent or Agents between the said Commonwealth and the Officers and Men on board, in such proportion as is settled and directed by the Commonwealth aforesaid, But if no such Settlement or Direction is made, then the Distribution is to be made between the Commonwealth afsd. and the Officers and Men on board in the same manner that is directed in the Case of the Effingham & Washington. |
| Fame | 11 Parts thereof to be paid by the Marshall to the Agent or Agents of the Owners and all the Captors concerned in the private armed Boat Fame, to be distributed by the said Agent or Agents among the Owners and the Officers and Men on board according to such proportions as the said Owners and Officers and Men have agreed on. |
| Wasp | 8 Parts thereof to be paid by the Marshall, &c. to be distributed in the same manner. |
| Hornet | 6 Parts thereof to be paid by the Marshall, &c., to be distributed in the same manner |
| Arnold | 6 Parts thereof to be paid by the Marshall &c. to be distributed in the same manner |
| Apollo | 7 Parts thereof to be paid by the Marshall, &c, to be distributed in the same manner |

The same Order is observed in the Division and Distribution of the Alert's Cargo, &c, including the Christiana And Argus.

I do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true copy of the Order or Decree afsd.

Ben Vining, Regr. of the Court of Admiralty.

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## EXCHANGE FOR JOHN McKINLEY ESQ.

In Congress; 14th Septr. 1778

RESOLVED,

That Congress consent to the exchange of William Franklin Esq. late governor of New Jersey, for John McKinley Esq., late president of the State of Delaware, agreeable to the proposition of Genl. Sir Henry Clinton

Extract from the minutes
Chas. Thomson Secy.

## EXTRACT FROM THE DEPOSITION OF SAMUEL PATTERSON REGARDING A MONEY CHEST

"He deposes that he put up in a chest which afterwards fell into the hands of the British, About £900 in cash, belonging to the Delaware State, not appropriated, but called the mileage money of its Batallion of Flying Camp, that served under him the preceeding Campaign, and left with him as military Treasurer of New Castle County by Mr. William Millan, Paymaster of said Batallion; and also another sum of seventy one pounds nine shillings allowed by the General Assembly to Lieut. Colo. Hodgson & Major Henry Neill, two field Officers of the same Batallion"

Extracted June 11th 1788 by
ELEAZER McCOMB

## LIEUTENANTS AND SUB-LIEUTENANTS

Saturday

Nomination for New Castle County

Mr. Clark named Colo. Craghead for Lieutenant of N. Castle County

Mr. Patterson names Geo. Evans Esq. for Lieutenant and Henry Darby & Samuel Smith Sub: Lieutenants for same County

For Kent County

Mr. Ridgely names Sam'l West Esq. for Lieutenant, and Benj'n Coombs & Francis Many for Sub: Lieutenants for the said County

Mr. Peery names William Hudson for Sub: Lieutenant for Do

For Sussex County

Mr. Peery names Maj'r Henry Fisher for Lieutenant, and Nathan'l Waples & Charles Moore For Sub: Lieutenants for ye same County

Mr. Molliston names Major Henry Neill for Lieut. for the same County

Mr. Collins names George Adams & Joseph Hazzard for Sub: Lieutenants for the same County

For State Treasurer

Mr. Bassett names Thomas Collins Esq.

Mr. Peery names Sam'l Patterson Esq.

Mr. Collins names Jacob Stout Esq.

VOTES

| For Lieutenants N. C. Co. | | For Lieutenants for Kent Co. | | For Sussex County For Lieutenants | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| George Craighead Lieut. | 12 | Samuel West Lieut. | 25 | Henry Neill | 19 |
| Henry Darby Sub. Lieut. | 25 | Francis Many Sub. Lieut. | 23 | Henry Fisher | 6 |
| Sam'l Smith do | 25 | Benjamin Coombs do | 24 | Sub. Lieutenants | |
| Geo. Evans Lieut. | 13 | Wm. Hudson | 3 | George Adams | 9 |
| | | | | Joseph Hazzard | 9 |
| | | | | Nathan'l Waples | 16 |
| | | | | Chas. Moore | 16 |

## QUARTER MASTER SAMUEL CROSBY

Kent County September 20th. 1779

Gentlemen.

Observing that the Assessors of this County have thought proper to Assess me among the Taxables of Duck Creek Hundred as an Inhabitant of said Hundred, and Whereas, the General Assembly of this State passed a Law the first day of February last depriving all Quarter Masters the priviledges of the Inhabitants of this State, consequently the Taxing of them must be contrary to Justice, and right Reason (unless they have property in the State) and is Unprecidented that an Officer serving the Publick on monthly pay and rations (should be Taxed) which are greatly inadequate to the prices of the Necessaries of Life, I am likewise liable to be called away at any time from this Post, and fixed in some other State, where with the same propriety I may again be Taxed—

I am sorry that the Assessors were so unacquainted with the business, as to think they had the right to Tax Continental Officers on command in this State, which appalation I undoubtedly come under—I submit the above Circumstances to your Superior Judgement, and flatter myself that upon a further consideration of matters, you'll Erase me off the Levy List—

P. S.—I should have attended personally, but public business hinders me

I am with regard Gentl'm

Your most Obt. Hble Servt.

SAM'L CROSBY, Q. M.

at the Post of Duck Creek

## SALES OF SHED &c AT FORT CHRISTIANA

The Acct. of Sale of the Shed &c. of the Fort in the Borough of Wilmington Sold by order of John Lea Esq. November 7th. 1778

Divided into Lots viz.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No 1 | Jonat. Rumford | £19.00. 0 |
| 2 | Joseph Stidham Esq | 15.04. 0 |
| 3 | Do | 17.00. 0 |
| 4 | Nail Daugherty | 14.00 .0 |
| 5 | James Adams | 8.07.06 |
| 6 | Joseph Stedham Esq | 8.00.00 |
| | | 80.12. 6 |
| | Commiss. @ 2½ P. C. | 2.00.06 |
| | | 78.12.00 |
| | Sold at Vendue per Mr. John Thelwell | |
| | To additional Sale made by Capt. Lea to Capt. Joseph Stedham | 3. 0. 0 |
| | | 81.12. 0 |

## SALE OF SHED MADE IN 1780

Gentlemen,

The House of Assembly have appointed Messrs Stidham, Cook and Collins to view and report the situation and condition of the Barracks and Works at the Fort on Christiana Creek, and propose to you the appointment of a committee of your Body to join them in that business, if your Honorable House think the same necessary

Wilmington, 14th. Decemr. 1779

(On back of paper)
Message to the Council

The Committee which was appointed to Joyn the Committee of the House of Assembly, to view the Guard House, Magazine and works on Christiana Creek near the Borough of Wilmington now report that they had viewed the same and are of the opinion their is not any necessity for keeping them in repair—Therefore recommend that the Barracks and wood part of the Magazine are useless and going to ruin they Ought to be sold for the Benefit of the State.

Account of the sale of the Guard House and wooden part of the Magazine in the Borough of Wilmington made agreeable to a resolution of the General Assembly Jany. 7 & 8th. 1780 by Joseph Stisdham.

| | |
|---|---|
| Richard Moore Guard House | £277.10 .0 |
| Neal Daugherty Wooden parts of Magazine | 105. |
| To cash paid John Thelwell Crying sale | 10. |
| | 372.10 |
| Commission on 382.10 | 19.02.06 |
| | 353. 7.06 |

Per JOS. STEDHAM

## ARRANGEMENT OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT

January 27th. 1780

| NAMES | RANK | Date of APPOINTMENTS | REMARKS | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| David Hall..... | Colonel | Jan. 4. 1777 | | Two Ensigns wanting to complete The Establishment | Reuben Gilder Surgeon, John Platt Mzte — Appointed April 5. 1777 |
| Joseph Vaughan.. | Lt. Colo. | Dec. 14. 1779 | | | |
| John Patten..... | Major | Dec. 14. 1779 | | | |
| Robert Kirkwodd | Captain | Dec. 1. 1776 | | | |
| James Moore..... | " | Dec. 2. 1776 | Prisoner of War | | |
| John Learmonth... | " | Jan. 4. 1777 | | | |
| Peter Jaquett..... | " | Jan. 4. 1777 | | | |
| John Wilson..... | " | Oct. 15. 1777 | | | |
| John Corse..... | " | Jan. 16. 1778 | | | |
| John Rhodes..... | Capt. Lt. | Mar. 1. 1779 | | | |
| WilliamMcKennan | 1st. Lt. | Jan. 4. 1777 | | | |
| Daniel PowellCox | " | Jan. 4. 1777 | | | |
| George Purvis..... | " | Oct. 15. 1777 | Adjutant | | |
| Paul Quenouault.. | " | Jan. 26. 1778 | | | |
| Henry Duff..... | " | Sep. 7. 1778 | | | |
| Caleb Brown..... | Do | Sep. 7. 1778 | | | |
| John Hyatt..... | " | Sep. 7. 1778 | Prisoner of War | | |
| James Campbell... | " | Mar. 1. 1779 | | | |
| Caleb P. Bennet .t | 2nd. Lt. | Aug. 14. 1778 | | | |
| Joseph Hosman... | " | Aug. 14. 1778 | | | |
| Elijah Skillington. | " | Sep. 7. 1778 | | | |
| Charles Kidd..... | " | Sep. 7. 1778 | | | |
| Edward Roche.... | " | Sep. 10. 1778 | Pay Master | | |
| Thomas Anderson. | " | Sep. 10. 1778 | Quarter Master | | |
| StephenMcWilliam | Ensign | Oct. 27. 1779 | | | |

We do hereby Certify that the above is an exact List of the Rank, & dates of Commissions, to which we are entitled, and that we are satisfied therewith

J. PATTEN Major
WM. McKENNAN Lieut.
GEO. PURVIS Lieut. & Adjt.
JAMES CAMPBELL Lieut.
CALEB P. BENNETT Lieut
JOSEPH HOSMAN Lt.
ELIJAH SKILLINGTON 2d. Lt.
EDWARD ROCHE Lt. & Paymaster

War Dept.
Washington, D. C.

## COMMISSARY ACCOUNTS

Decr. 26th 1777

AN ACCT. OF CLOTH TAKEN AT MR. CLOWES MILL, PERSONS NAMES & ET.

| Cloth Undressed Viz. | | | Do Dressed | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wm. Strawbridge | 6 yds not delivered | | Surthy Whitington | 5 yds pd |
| Fanny Idlot | 4 yds pd | | Levi Safford | 4– |
| Joseph Deale | 7– | | John Burton | 3– |
| Saml. Mountford | 6– paid | | Nehemiah Davis | 6– |
| Wm. Conaway | 4– | | George Frame | 3– |
| Robt. Coulter | 4–paid | | yards | 21 at 25/ |
| Robt. Young | 7–paid | | | |
| Ephram. Pollock | 5 | | John Burton pd 6¾ yds at 20/ | |
| Peter Robinson | 8–paid | | | |
| Danl. Whelborn | 3– | | | |
| Wm. Franklin | 7.paid | | | |
| John Postley | 5–paid | | | |
| John Wise | 5–paid | | | |
| Josieh Polk | 4–paid | | | |
| Jonathan Stinson | 5–paid | | | |
| Benjn. Burton | 15– | | | |
| Burton Prettyman | 5– | | | |
| Dennis Hutson | 2½. 1 blanket | | | |
| Jonathan Havelo | 4–paid | | | |
| Wm. Gauslin | 4–paid | | | |
| Levin Polk | 3– | | | |
| Genl. Dagworth | 12 pd. | | | |
| Thos. Waples | 4 | | | |
| | 123½ at 17/6 | 108. 1. 3. | | |
| Dressing the above | 91 yds at 2/6 | 11. 7. 6 | | |
| Dressed Cloth | 21 yds at 25/ | 26. 5. | | |
| 1 blanket | | 1.10. | | |

the above Cloth taken by Col. Charles Pope for the use of the Delaware Battilion at 17/6 pr yd for the raw Cloth and so in proportion for the Dressed, the Original from under Col. Pope's hand Left with the House of Assembly for allowance.

afterwards left it with Thos. Rodney Esq for payment

by John Clowes

allowed by the Assembly 20/ pr yd for the raw Cloth and 30/ pr yd for the filled & only 2/ pr yd for frilling

also allowed Robt. Woods 6 yds at 20/

COPPY OF JOSEPH
DARBY'S ACCT. FOR CLOTH

Recd. Feby 7th. 1779 of John Clowes Seven pounds Ten Shillings for Mr. Surthy Whittington in Virginia — James Martin

Recd. Feby 8th. 1779 of John Clowes Twelve pounds Two Shillings in full Genl. Dagsworthy's Cloth within — James Mitchell Jun.

## COMMISSARY ACCOUNTS—Continued

| | |
|---|---|
| Recd. Feby. 13 1779 Nine pounds two Shillings in full for dressing 91 yds. Cloth within | Jos. Darby |
| Recd. Feby 17th. five pounds in full for my Cloth within pd | Jona. Stevenson |
| Recd. Feby 19 four pounds in for my Cloth Within | William Goslin |
| Recd. Feby 19 four pounds in full for my Cloth do | Robert Coulter |
| Recd. March 16 Six pounds in full for my Cloth do | Samuel Mountford |
| Recd. March 16 four pounds for my Cloth | Thomas Waples |
| Recd. March 20 Six pounds fiteen Shillings for do | John Burton |
| Recd. Apl. four pounds for Josiah Polk within | Joshua Polk |
| Recd. Apl. five pounds in full pr within | John Wise |
| Recd. Aug. 13th. Seven pounds for Wm. Franklin pr within Act | George Wainright |
| Recd. Novr. Eight pounds for Peter Robinson pr within Act. | John W. Dean |
| Recd. Novr. 8th. four pounds for Fanny Idlot pr within | Mary Stockly |
| Recd. May 12th. 1780 four Pounds pr within | Jonathan Heavelo |
| Recd. May 12th. 1780 five pounds for John Postly pr | David Johnson |
| Recd. June 28th. 1780 Seven pounds in full pr | Robert Young |

DR MESSRS DAVID HALL, JOHN WILTBANK &c COUNCIL FOR SUSSEX COUNTY
TO GEORGE EVANS COMS. 1776

| 1776 | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| June | 11th | to 6 barrels flour @ 16/ | 10 | 13 | 0 |
| | | to 2 Gal & 3 qts rum @ 10/ for | 1 | 7 | 6 |
| | | to 259 lb. beef 4/2 pr lb | 4 | 10 | 6 |
| | 12th | to 2 Gall & 3 qts of rum @ 10/ | 1 | 7 | 6 |
| | | to 37¾ lbs of beef @ 4½/ & 2½ Gall rum @ 10/ | 2 | 14 | 1½ |
| | 13th | to 3 qts rum for Capt. Perry, 1 gall rum Capt. Groves | | 17 | 6 |
| | | to 2 do for Capt. Waples 3 for Capt Gordon | | 12 | 6 |
| | | to 3 pints Capt. Windgate 3/9 1 qt. Capt. Hill 2/6 | | 6 | 3 |
| | | to 1 gall rum 10/—55 lbs beef for Capt. Neal | 1 | 10 | 7½ |
| | | to 1 qt do 2/6 25 do for Capts. Lofly & Wingate | | 11 | 10½ |
| | | to 3 qts do 7/6— 2 qtd do 5/ Windgate & Waples | | 12 | 6 |
| | | to 1 gall do 10/—Capts Gordon & Hill | | 10 | |
| | | to 1½ gall do 15/ for Capts Coursay & Perry | | 15 | |
| | 14th | to 2 qts of do 5/ for Capt. Waples | | 5 | |
| | | to 65 lbs beef @ 4½/—3 qts rum | 1 | 12 | 1½ |
| | 15th | to 2 qts rum for Capt. Perry 5/ | | 5 | |
| | | to 62 lbs beef | 1 | 3 | 3 |
| | | to 3 qts of rum for Capt. Waples | | 7 | 6 |
| | | to 56 lbs beef @ 4½/ | 1 | 1 | |
| | | to 25 lbs beef @ do for Capt. Groves | | 9 | 4½ |
| | | to 91 lbs beef @ do—5 qts rum | 2 | 6 | 7½ |
| | | | £34 | 4 | 5½ |

For the use of the Militia of Sussex County

| 1776 | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| June | 10th | This for the Barges at Lewistown | | | |
| | | to 5½ gallons of rum @ 10/—14 lbs beef @ 4½/ | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| | 11th | to 26 lbs beef @ 4½/—½ peck salt | | 10 | 3 |
| | 12th | to 47 lbs do ½ do 14th 8 lbs beef & 9 lbs bread | 1 | 3 | 5 |
| | 15th | to 11½ lbs do 10 lbs bread & ½ gall rum | | 11 | 10 |
| | 16th | to 28 lbs do 2 gall rum, 20th 10 lbs beef | 1 | 14 | 3 |
| | | | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| | | 17 years interest on £41.4.5 | 42 | 0 | 1 |
| | | | 49 | 0 | 1 |

## RETURN OF FORAGE ISSUED BY WM. MILLAN R.N.C. AT CANTWELLS BRIDGE

| 1781 | TO WHOM ISSUED | Pounds Hay | Bushels Rye | Bushels Corn | Bushels Barley | Sheaf Oat |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jany. 21 | Joshua Williams Comy. of Issues at this Post | 6544 | 29 | 2 | 70 | 6 10 |
| 29 | John Enos, to repay him for an equal quantity borrow'd for the use of the Qr. Master Departm. as appears by my Returns to Francis Wade Esq. | | | 30 | | |
| 31 | Isaac Lawrence by order of Peter Wade Qr. Mr. Christa. Bridge | 2128 | 1½ | | 70¾ | |
| Feby 8 | Alex. McCullough Waggon Master | 560 | 6½ | | | |
| May 1 | George Purvis Lt. D. Reg. | 24 | | | ½ | |
| June 1 | Adam Russel Contl Waggoner | 14 | | | ¼ | |
| 9 | George Einwinter Soldier | | | | ¼ | |
| July 1 | Wm. McClay Storekeeper Xteen | 12712 | 125 | 92Æ | 9½ | |
| 27 | Wm. Moulder SK Philada. | | 83¾ | | | |
| 29 | Alex. McCullough W M. | 700 | | | 13 | |
| | | 22682 | 245¾ | 124½ | 175¼ | 6 10 |

Cantwells Bridge 10th. Dec. 1781

Errors Excepted

WM. MILLAN R. N. C.

### RECEIPT OF JNO. ENOS

Received 29th. January 1781 of Wm. Millan R. N. C. Thirty bushels of Corn which I lent him in the winter of 1779 for Forage for United States Horses

JNO. ENOS

### CERTIFICATE FOR GEORGE EVANS

This may Certify that George Evins Esq. hath furnished good pasture one night for thirty eight Horses Employed in the Service of the United States and is Intitled to pay for the same from the public

Brandeywine hundred Sept.—1781 JOHN J. SKIDMORE

to the County Contractor D. W. M.

This is to certify that on the first day of September one thousand Seven Hundred Seventy and Seven——

Humphrey Barrett then Waggon Master For the Kent County delaware State Militia, did from Duck Creek Mill take a Sorrell Horse With a blase Face, the Property of Mr. Thos. Tilton, which Horse Ware Appraised by Jarred Capron and some other person, Whom I do not Remember—To the Sum of Twenty Eight Pounds————

I Never heard of Sd. horse being Returned to the owners, but do Believe he never Were May 28th. 1789

WM. JORDAN then qt. Mt.

I do certify that the above described Horse was taken by Humphrey Barret, for the publick Service—and was put in a team which was imployed for conveying of baggage to Wilmington, and that I was informed by the driver that said horse had strayed off & could not be found—from our situation I believe that the horse fell into the possession of the Enimy—given under my hand at Duck Creek 29th. May 1789

CHAS. POPE

## COMMISSARY ACCOUNTS–Continued.

### POWDER BILL

STATE OF DELAWARE

TO THE UNITED STATES DR.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1776 | | | |
| May | 15th | For 1000 lbs Powder delivered by the Secret Committee to the Delegates of the State agreeable to an Act of Congress of the 2nd. instant @ 5/ | 666.60 |
| June | 13th | For 2000 lb Powder forwarded pr Robert Irwin to the Council of Safety of Delaware @ 5/ | 1333.30 |
| Aug | 5th | For an order drawn by the Secret Committee in favour of the State for 192 Muskets @ £5 —each | 2573.30 |
| | | | Dollars 4573.30 |

Extracted from the Books of the Secret Committee

J. HARDY

Commr. Secret & Commr. Accts.

### RECEIPT FOR BRAN

Received September 6th. 1777 of George Evans One Hundred and half bushels of Bran for the Continental Service by

HEZEKIAH NILES

forag Master at Brandewine

### BILL FOR A MUSKET

DELAWARE STATE DR. IN ACCPT. WITH BENJAMIN TRUETT

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1776 | | To 1 Musket Delivered to the Melishey at an alarm of the Rhobuck, Delivered by orders of John Wiltbank Esq. then first Commander Price of Said Musket when I Bought her | 3. 3.0 |
| | 3rd | Jany 1788—then came the above named Benjamin Truett before me and Made Oath on the holy Evangilist of Almighty God that the above acct is just and true as it now stands stated and that he hath not Rec'd any part Or parcel Satisfaction nor Security for the same to the best of his knowledge | |

ALEX'R LAWS

### AMMUNITION BILL

THE STATE OF DELAWARE

TO THE UNITED STATES DR.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1781 | | | | | |
| Mar. | 27 | To 150 Cannon Ball 3 Pds. | Wt 450 lb | @ 3d | £ 5.12.6 |
| | | 151 Grape shot fix'd 3 pds | | @ 10/ | 75.10.0 |
| | | 2 Iron Howitzers | | @ 16 ea | 32. 0.0 |
| | | 200 Flints | | @ 75/ p–M | .15.0 |
| | | 1 Single Bbl powder | Wt 118 lbs | @ 6/ | 35. 8.0 |
| | | 2 half do | Wt 106 | @ 6/ | 31.16.0 |
| | | 40 Rampart Muskets | | @ 50/ | 100. 0.0 |
| | | 40 Cartouch Boxes | | @ 10/ | 30. 0.0 |
| | | 40 Ship Swords | | @ 15/ | 30. 0.0 |
| | | | | | £341. 1.6 |

The above were delivered to Colo. Henry Neil

Dr

DELAWARE STATE to GEORGE EVANS

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1777 | | To Cash advanced as a bounty by order John McKinley, James Latimer & Abraham Robinson Esqr. | | | | | |
| Feb. | 2nd | to James McClintock | 6 | Dollars bounty | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| | | Hugh McKee | 6 | " | 3 | 5 | |
| | | David McKee | 6 | " | 2 | 5 | |
| | | Jacob Welding | 6 | " | 2 | 5 | |
| | | James Murphy | 6 | do | 2 | 5 | |
| | | William McFeely | 6 | do | 2 | 5 | |
| | | Samuel Stuart | 6 | do | 2 | 5 | |
| | | Jacob Bratton | 6 | do | 2 | 5 | |
| | | John Phillips | 6 | do | 2 | 5 | |
| | | John Kenneday | 6 | do | 2 | 5 | |
| | | John Devan | 6 | do | 2 | 5 | |
| | | Samuel McBride | 6 | do | 2 | | 5 |
| | | James Nixon | 6 | do | 2 | 5 | |
| | | George Dixon.... | 6 | do | 2 | | 5 |
| | | | | | 33 | 15 | 0 |
| | | Interest on £33.15 0 for 17 years | | | 34 | 8 | 6 |
| | | | | | £68 | 3 | 6 |
| | | to 4 years Service as Lieutenant of the County | | | 100 | 0 | 0 |
| Aug. | 23rd | to Cash paid Lieut. Gabriel Springer for 4 days Service | | | 17 | 16 | 8 |
| Sep | 6th | to 100½ bushels of bran @ 5/ pr bus for H. Niles | | | 25 | 2 | 6 |
| 1780 | | to wood for the 2nd Delaware Regiment | | | 5 | 0 | |
| Aug | | to Cash paid Joseph Steel for boarding 4 soldiers | | | 3 | 15 | |
| | | | | | £219 | 17 | 8 |

## ABSTRACT OF THE SUBSISTENCE FOR THE DELAWARE REGIMENT CHARGED IN COL. HASLET'S ACCOUNT

| COLONEL 6 Rations—48 110 days | LT.COLONEL 5 rations—40 110 days | Major 4 rations 47 days | Chaplain 2 rations 115 days | Qr. Master 2 rations 115 days | Surgeon 2 rations 115 days | Adjutant 2 rations 115 dyas | Surgs. mate 2 rations 10 days | Credited the State | Suspended |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 58.60 | 48.80 | 16.64 | 20.40 | 20.40 | 20.40 | 20.49 | 1.70 | 157 14 | 50 60 |

| COMPANIES COMMANDED BY | | Officers recruiting 2/3 dolls | Capts. in Qrts 3 rations–24 | Subalt. n. in Qrts. 2 rations | Non-Comm. & privates $1.00 | extra allo. on Mch 30. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Captains | Stedham | 36 W, days | 30 days | 60 days | 1118 W 6d | | 1235 73 | |
| | Caldwell | 48..... | 30 | 90 | 1225 5 | | 1277 64 | |
| | Hall | 47 3 | 30 | 90 | 1250 6 | | 1401 30 | |
| | Darby | 49 1 | 28 | 84 | 1098 3 | 63. 3 | 1272 1 | |
| | Pope | 48 | 27 | 81 | 1381 6 | 36 6 | 1543 67 | |
| | Adams | 48 4 | 25 | 75 | 1201 3 | | 1350 85 | |
| | Smith | 47 5 | 25 | 50 | 3147 1 | | 1489 84 | |
| | Vaughans | 48 | 24 | 72 | 1229 3 | | 1376 57 | |
| The whole regiment subsisted to 8th. of May | | 373 5 | 219 | 602 | 9852 5 | 100. 2 | | |
| The following are charges for subsist. after the 8th May | | 996.50 dols. | 58.36 | 107. 2 | 9852.65 | 33.38 | | |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Subsistance of the Regiment from the 8th. of May the time the commissary's contract is mentioned to take place to the time they drew rations. NB no vouchers, & I suppose the contractor the person accountable | | |
| to the time they drew rations. NB no vouchers, & I suppose the contractor the person accountable | | 731 84 |
| Colo. Haslets subsistance from the 8th. of May to the 3d. of Jany 1777 is 240 days 6 rations per day @ 8d each. NB there is nothing more than a charge for this by this executors | | 128 |
| Forage for his horse the same time under the same circumstances | | 64 |
| Subsistance of Capt. Vaughans Serjeants & Corporals, no vouchers, nor the reason assigned | | 3 |
| Delaware October the 31st. 1783 dollars | 11205 25 | 977 54 |

WILL. WINDER Comr.

War Dept.
Washington, D. C.

## A LIST OF SOLDIERS NAMES DELIVERED BY CAPT. MOORE

With notations by E. McComb

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Serjt. | | | | | |
| 1 | *Robert Oram | 41 | xLevin McGee | 80 | *Wm. Furbush |
| 2 | *William Seymour | 42 | *Eben'r Blackshear | 81 | *Cassa Hall |
| 3 | *Thos. McGuire | 43 | *Wm. Walker | 82 | *Neil Livingston |
| 4 | *John Eshom | 44 | *James Turner | 83 | *Morris Nickols |
| 5 | *Seth Brooks | 45 | *Wm. Burchard | 84 | xStephen Culver |
| 6 | *Moses Pharies | 46 | *Thos. Flinn | 85 | *Wm. Plowman |
| Fifers | | 47 | xJohn Aull | 86 | *John Benson |
| 7 | *Timothy Cook | 48 | xWm. Simmons | 87 | xMichel Garvin |
| 8 | *John Jonson | 49 | *Joseph Hammon | 88 | *Thos. Clark |
| 9 | *Wm. Skiner | 50 | xAaron Teazer | 89 | *James Demar |
| 10 | xThos. Gore not in- | 51 | xLott Ford | 90 | *Wm. Perry |
| | titled | 52 | xMajor Hitchens | 91 | *Wm. Stanton |
| 11 | xSamuel Kean | 53 | *James O'Neil | 92 | *Samuel Bass |
| Privates | | 54 | xWm. McGauhy | 93 | *Jesse Rial |
| 13 | *Thos. Nash | 55 | xJoseph McAfee | 94 | *Neil McCan |
| 14 | *Mitchl. Lacat | 56 | xCaleb Hitchins | 95 | *John Middleton |
| 15 | *Henry Rowan | 57 | xLabin Turner | 96 | *Nathan Boen |
| 16 | *Christr. Willitt | 58 | *Dennis Dempsey | 97 | *Daniel Murry |
| 17 | xJames Davis | 59 | *Serjt. Murphy | 98 | *Thomas Harper |
| 18 | *John Watkins | 60 | * Do Thompson | 99 | *Jona. Cook |
| 19 | *John Rowan | 61 | * Do Cross | 100 | *Saml. Long |
| 20 | *Charles Conoley | 62 | * Do O'Niel | 101 | *Wm. Donalson |
| 21 | *Jno. Preston | | Fifers | 102 | *John Conner |
| 22 | *Eli Dodd | 63 | *Joseph Staton | 103 | xJoseph Fitzgerald |
| 23 | *Robt. Downs | 64 | *John Hackney | 104 | *George Clifton |
| 24 | *John McCabe | 65 | *Adam Toland | 105 | *Wm. Murphy |
| 25 | *Andw. Dixon | | Privates | 106 | xWm. Hudson |
| 26 | *Wm. Keys | 67 | *Elijah Houston | 107 | *James Cook |
| 27 | *John McNight | 68 | *Jacob Furby | 108 | xThos. Carr |
| 28 | *Pat. Coleman | 69 | *Michael Dougherty | 109 | xJoseph Thompson |
| 29 | *Thos. Derrick | 70 | *Matthew Hilford | 110 | xPreston Hut |
| 30 | *Thos. Collins | 71 | *John Turner | 111 | *Peter Craft |
| 31 | *Wm. Wallace | 72 | *Anthony Delarose | 112 | xJames McGee |
| 32 | *John Service | 73 | *David Ellis | 113 | *Henry Willis |
| 33 | *John Roberts | 74 | *Edw. Morris | 114 | *Wm. Simson |
| 34 | xWm. Parker | 75 | *Wm. Slay | 115 | xJames Caton |
| 35 | *Benj. Jones | 76 | *James Kimmy | | |
| 36 | *Thos. Mason | 77 | *Wm. Ake | | |
| 37 | *Jacob Cork | 78 | *Isaac Landsley | | |
| 38 | *Robt. Miller | 79 | *Robt. Streeps | | |
| 39 | *Joseph Preston | | | | |
| 40 | *John Lahea | | | | |

Notes of E. McComb

Those marked * are drawn out, Those x not in Books

On back of paper

Thomas Gore deserted May 1777, and joined again in May 1780

## EXTRACTS FROM THE MINUTES OF PRIVY COUNCIL

The 8th. day of June A. D. 1778

.....The President, with the approbation of the Board, appointed Thomas Collins, of Kent County, Esquire, Brigadier-General of the Militia of the said County—also Gunning Bedford, Esquire, (lieutenant-Colonel of the Second Regiment of Militia in New Castle County) to be Colonel of the said Regiment in the room of Samuel Patterson, Esquire, now Brigadier-General and also Robert Bryan Esquire (Major of the said Regiment) to be the Lieutenant-Colonel thereof.

The 2nd, of Sept. A. D. 1778

The Board taking into consideration the unhappy situation of John McKinly, Esquire, late President of this State, captured by a detachment of the British Army, in Sept. 1777, at Wilmington, and now a prisoner under a short parole to solicit his exchange for William Franklin, Esquire, late Governor of New Jersey,..... came to the following Resolutions, to Wit—

RESOLVED, That it is the opinion of this Board, that the said John McKinly, ever since the commencement of the present Contest between Great Britain and America until his captivity aforesaid, took a very active part in support of the Liberties of the latter against the oppressive measures of the former—that in the execution thereof he filled the several offices of Chairman of the Committee of Inspection and Observation for New Castle County, Colonel of a Battalion of Militia there, and Brigadier-General, President of the Council of Safety, Speaker of the House of Assembly, under the present Frame of Government—and lastly that of Commander in Chief of this State—and discharged the several duties with attention, zeal and alacrity.

RESOLVED, therefor

That the President do request the Delagates from this State in Congress to make immediate application to that Honourable Body, that they would be pleased to take order, in such way as to them shall seem most proper, for the speedy exchange of Mr. McKinly; as his public services do certainly merit public favour and regard.

The 9th. day of November, A. D. 1778

.....In pursuance of an Act of General Assembly, intitled "An Act for the establishing a Militia within this State," His Excellency the President, with the advice and approbation of the Privy Council, appointed Nehemiah Delaplain of the town of New-Port in New Castle county to be Commissary-General of Military Stores and provisions for the State, with .power to appoint two Deputies, one of which shall reside in the county of Kent, and the other in the county of Sussex.....

RESOLVED,

That His Excellency the President issue Commissions, of the following dates, to the following named persons—viz-

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sept. | 24. | 1787 | David Montgomery, | Captain of a Company, formerly Blacks, 1st Regt. |
| | | | Jacob Moore, | First Lieutenant of do..... |
| | | | John Nivin..... | Second Lieut..... do..... |
| | | | James Boggs..... | Ensign..... do..... |
| Oct. | 31st. | 1778 | Alexander Thompson, | Captain of a Company formerly Watsons 4th Regt. |
| | | | Nathaniel Kerr,..... | First Lieut..... do..... |
| | | | John Townsend..... | Second Lieut..... do..... |
| | | | Thomas McCrea..... | Ensign..... do..... |

Officers of a Troop of Horse in General Collins' Brigade

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Decr. | 19. | 1778 | John Casson, Captain |
| | | | Samuel Freeman, First Lieutenant |
| | | | Stephen Wood, Second Lieutenant |
| | | | Benjamin Eubanks, Cornet— |

Whereupon, Commissions were issued, accordingly.

August 26th. 1779

The President laid before the Board a Letter, dated at Wilmington the 14th. day of July last, from George Evans and John Lea, Esquires, complaining of the misbehaviour of Francis Wade, Esquire, Deputy Quarter-Master-General and Commissary General in this State, and requesting that measures may be taken in order to appease the universal clamours of the people, for the removal of Mr. Wade from said Office—The Board, having taken the same into consideration,

RESOLVED,

That Tuesday the 31st. instant be set apart for hearing all complaints that may be made against the said Francis Wade, or any person whatsoever employed either in the Quarter-Master General, or Purchasing or Issuing Commissary-General's Department; and that the Secretary inform the said George Evans and John Lea, Esquires, by letter, of this Resolution, and require the attendance of them, at the time aforesaid, and of such witnesses as can be adduced to testify any mal-conduct of the aforesaid Francis Wade, or any person whatsoever employed in either of the Departments aforesaid..... .

The 7th. day of September A. D. 1780

..... .....His Excellency laid before the said Board an application from James Pollock and thirty two others, inhabitants of Sussex County, praying to have Officers commissioned for a Tropp of Militia Light Horse—the said James Pollock to be Captain-William Owens First Lieutaennt—Matthew Creighton Second Lieutenant and David Owens Cornet. The Council, willing to encourage and promote a military spirit, advised His Excellency the President to grant the said Commissions. ... ..... ... .....

The 11th. day of September 1780

His Excellency laid before the Board a letter from Timothy Pickering, Esquire, Quarter Master General, Dated the 24th. day of August last, imparting that he had appointed Donaldson Yeates, Esquire, to be Deputy Quarter Master General for the State of Delaware and Maryland, under the new arrangement of the Quarter

Master's Department; and requesting that the appointment he has made, so far as it respects this State, may have the approbation of the Executive Power thereof.

The Board, upon considering the matter, and being well assured of the abilities, integrity & industry of the said Donaldson Yeates, do fully approve of his appointment to the Office of Deputy Quarter Master General of this State.

The 4th. day of October 1781

..... ..... .....William Pope was appointed Issuing Commissary at the Post of Duck Creek Cross-Roads, by Warrant dated the Seventh day of January last.

The 24th. day of February 1783

..... ..... ..... The Board taking into consideration the great injury which the Public sustain by the want of the State-papers and the Records of the County of New Castle, captured by a detachment of the British Forces in September One thousand seven hundred and seventy seven, and since detained in their possession.

DO RESOLVE,

That James Booth be appointed to proceed, with a flag, to the City of New York, for the purpose of soliciting from Sir Guy Carleton, the Commanding Officer of the British Forces the delivery of the State papers and the Public Records of the County of New Castle aforesaid.

That His Excellency the President be requested to write to General Carleton for obtaining the said Papers & Records—and that he furnish the said James Booth with all the necessary documents for the purpose aforesaid. .. .....

## RECRUTING ACCOUNTS

DR. THE DELAWARE STATE IN ACCOMPT WITH WILLIAM POLK RECRUITING OFFICER

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1781 | | | | | |
| Apr. | 11th | To Cash the fees and Bounty for Inlisting 41 men @ £24 each to serve in the Delaware Regiment | 984 | 9 | 8 |
| | | To Cash Expended for Rashens as pr acct | 74 | 15 | 9 |
| | | To Cash Paid Majr, Jeames Moore as per his acct | 100 | 15 | 6 |
| | | To General John Dagworthy Coto Not Collected | | | |
| | | To Cash paid Nathaniel Waples for taking up two disartons Powel Hazzard & James Marroner | | 7 | 10 |
| | | To Cash paid Jacob Coverdale for taking up Robt. Carr | | 3 | 15 |
| | | To Cash paid Ephram Polk do do Jesse Ketham | | 3 | 15 |
| | | To Cash paid Edward Polk for do Henry Hudson | | 3 | 15 |
| | | To Delinquants as pr list Returned to the treshur | 58 | 0 | 8 |
| | | To Costs on the sute of Matthu Whorton | | 1 | 10 |
| | | To Costs on the sute of William Jefferson | | | 11 |
| | | To 5895.81 Continental Dollars to the treashur of Sussex County at the exchange | 279 | 9 | 7 |
| Apr | 11th | By 50 Class Lists amounting to | | | |
| | | By ballence Due Maj. James Moore as pr acct in treashurers hands | 50 | 17 | 6 |

## STATE SCHOONER "DELAWARE"

Philadelphia May 17th. 1782

STATE OF DELAWARE FOR SCHOONER DELAWARE

TO EDWARD POLE DR.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1782 | | | | |
| May 17th | 6 pairs of 6 pound Cannon, 80/ | 480 | | |
| | Hauling 12 mannon out to prove | 6 | 15 | |
| | Hauling 10 ditto back to vessel | 5 | 12 | |
| - | 24–6 pound shot to prove with 3/ | 3 | 12 | |
| - | 36 Rop-wadds for ditto 6 / | | 18 | |
| | 12 pieces of port Fire for ditto | 1 | 10 | |
| | Proving 12 6 pound Cannon | 4 | 10 | |
| June 16 | 1 pair 6 pound Cannon | 80 | | |
| Mch 25 | 50 lbs Match rope | 9 | 7 | 6 |
| | 200 Gunn Flints | 2 | 10 | |
| | 2 Hand pumps | 1 | 2 | 6 |
| | 1 Speaking trumpet | 15 | | |
| | 2 Scrubbing brushes 2 Handles | 12 | | |
| | 2 Hand brushes 2 Hickory brooms | 13 | | |
| | 1 bottle tinn Funnell | | 3 | |
| | 1 Grid-iron 1 Frying pann | 1 | 15 | |
| | 1 Flesh Fork 1 Ladle | | 10 | |
| | 2 pewter spoons | 1 | 15 | |
| | 1 pair Steelyards | | 18 | |
| | 12 Rammers & Spunges | 4 | 10 | |
| | 12 double worms for the spunges | 3 | 18 | |
| | 3 copper Laddles | 5 | 12 | 6 |
| | 3 double Cannon Worms | 2 | 5 | |
| | Sheepskin Nails & Cover 12 spunges | 4 | 10 | |
| | 12 Linstocks | 2 | 5 | |
| | 3 dressed Sheepskins | 2 | 5 | |
| | 300 Spunge Nails | | 7 | 6 |
| | 140 Rounds 61b Shott | 21 | | |
| | 40 double head Shott | 15 | | |
| | 100 Bunches 61b Grape Quilted | 37 | 10 | |
| | 12 Cannon powder Horns | 4 | 10 | |
| | Cannon priming wires | 1 | 7 | |
| | 6 Cannon boring bitts | | 15 | |
| | 400 Cannon Cartridges | 6 | | |
| | 12 pair Hand Cuffs | 4 | 10 | |
| | 1 Cook axe 1 Cannon powder measure | | 15 | |
| | 1 Log book 1 sett Tin Measure | | 17 | 6 |
| | 12 Cannon Cartridge boxes | 5 | | |
| | 40 Boarding Pikes | 15 | | |
| | 2 Brass Cocks 2 Tinn Candlesticks | 1 | 7 | 6 |
| | 2 side Candlesticks Powder Flask | | 12 | 6 |
| | 1 Quire Musket Cartridge paper | | 15 | |
| | Hauling 2 6 pound Cannon to prove | 1 | 2 | 6 |
| | Hauling ditto back to vessel | 1 | 2 | 6 |
| | 12 pounds Powder to prove with | 3 | 12 | |
| | 2 Cartridges, Wadds & Shott | | 17 | |
| | Port Fire, Proving | | 17 | 6 |
| | | 751 | 6 | 0 |

## EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS OF WAR

### ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT

Articles of agreement for the relief and Exchange of the Prisoners of War taken in the Southern department amended to at Accabee the 23rd of Oct. 1782 by Major Wemyss Deputy Adjt. General, on the part of the Hon. Lt. Gen'l. Leslie & Major Burnet on the part of the Hon. Major General Green.

1st. That all noncommissioned Officers & Privates who have been delivered previous to the date hereof be considered as Exchanged & properly accounted for.

2nd. That all the British prisoners of War, now in the American Army, including those lately at Georgetown, be sent to Charlestown as early as possible, and be considered as Exchanged .

3rd. That an immediate exchange of regular Officers, as far as similar rank will apply, shall be effected & the paroles of the unexchanged Officers be extended agreeable to their wishes.

4th. That all Militia, and Citizens, both American & British taken as Prisoners of War by either Army, in the Southern department, previous to the date of this agreement be considered as hereby Exchanged, and those who may be in Confinment be immediately liberated.

T. BURNET, Major & Commissioner
T. WAMYSS, Major & D. A. G.

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I do Certify that in consequence of an agreement entered into at Accabee this day by Major Burnet on the part of the Hon. Major General Green & Major Wemyss on the part of the Hon. Lt. General Leslie, all militia, both Officers and privates and all Citizens of every denomination, made Prisoners of War by the American Army in the Southern department, previous to the date hereof, are hereby regularly Exchanged, Permission & necessary pass-ports will be granted to such as are inclinable to repair within the British Lines, or any other part that may be most agreeable to them.

Given at Accabee in So. Carolina this 23rd day of Oct. 1782

SAM. WARREN
Amer. Dy. Com'y Gen'l. Prisoners

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I do Certify that in consequence of an agreement entered into at Accabes this day by Major Wemyss Dep'y. Adj't. General on the part of the Hon. Lt. General Leslie, and Major Burnet on the part of the Hon. Major General Green, all of the militia, both Officers and Privates, and all Citizens of every denomination made Prisoners of War by the British Army in the Southern department, previous to the date hereof, are hereby regularly Exchanged.

Given at Accabee in So. Carolina this 23rd. day of Oct. 1782

ROBT. COOKE. Brit. Dep'y. Com'y. of Prisoners

I do Certify that all American Officers, Prisoners of War, on Parole in the Southern department, have permission to go to any part of America provided they do not go intentionally within any British post or Garrison.

Given under my Hand at Accabee the 23rd. of Oct. 1782

ROBT. COOK, Brit. Dep'y. Com'y Pris.

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## RECEIPT OF JOHN BULLIN

Capt. James Moore D. R.

To Jno. Bullin Dr.

To subsisting and quartering Collins Carry, Robert Johnson, David Dorman & Nelson Waller Soldiers D. R. while under Enoculation four Days each commencing the 13th and ending the 16th days of May 1782 being in all 16 days 1.0.0

June 10th 1782 Recd. of Capt. James Moore the sum of one pound in full of the above account by me JOHN BULLIN

## ACCOUNTS OF JAMES WEEDEN

Sir. Please Issue Provisions for one Soldier of the Delaware Regt. for the Month of April—30 Rations

GEO. PURVIS Capt. D. Regt.

MR. JOHN THELWELL April 4th. 1782

on back of paper—Recd. the within Rations

HIS
JAMES X WEEDEN
MARK

Sir. please to Issue Rations to James Wedin for 3 Days Commencing the 13th End. Ye 15 Inst. Boath Days Included 1782

JAMES HUSBANDS by order of Capt. Moore

Sir. Please Issue 4 Days Rations for 4 Soldiers in the Del. Regt. Noals, Merine, Waller, & Weeden Commencing the 16th & Ending the 19th Instant

July Ye 16th 1782

Mr. Wm. Brown I. C. HOSEA WILSON Serjt. D. R.

## WOMEN MEMBERS OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT

Sir

Issue 30 Days Provision for one woman & one child belonging to the Delaware Regiment

Mr. Thelwell Aprill 22 1782

P. JAQUETT
Capt. D. R.

(On back of paper)
Recd the within 30 Rations
HESTER KELTY

Sir—

Please Issue thirty Days Provisions for two women & two children belonging to the Delaware Regiment By Order of

Aprill 1st 1782

P. JAQUETT, Capt. D. R.

(On back of paper)
Recd. the within Rations
her
SARAH X DERICK
mark
for her half &
Sergt. Easom's wife

Sir—

Issue Provisions for 30 Days to one woman belonging to the Delaware Regiment

Res't

Mr. Thelwell
April 20—1782

P. JAQUETT
Capt. D. R.

(On back of paper)
Recd. the within Rations
her
MARY M. BASHFORD
mark

## PETITION OF GEORGE McKINDLEY

To the honourable Members of Assembly of the Dellaware State, Now at Dover

The Remonstrance and Petition of George McKindley Yeoman of New Castle County in State aforesaid humbly Sheweth—

That Whereas Your Petitioner on the twentieth Day of August Anno Dom. 1777. Did March with the Militia then Commanded by Captain Isaac Lewis Esq. of Pincader hundred and County aforesaid, to the head of Elk River in the Maryland State, and Whereas your petitioner, on the Twenty-fifth Day of August aforesaid, had the Misfortune to be taken prisoner by the British troops and by them Confined and kept untill the Eighteenth day of July Anno Dom. 1778. when he was Exchanged and came home on the thirty-first Day of said July, being eleven Months and eleven days absent from home. And Whereas your Petitioner hath not ever yet Received any pay or Reward for any part of the said time so absent which he, your petitioner, is very unable to bear.....

Therefore, please to take the Matter under Your honours Serious Consideration, and Grant and order such Relief and pay unto and for your said petitioner as to your honours may seem Meet to grant for the service and absent time aforesaid and your petitioner as in Duty Bound, Shall ever pray,—

June, Anno Dom. 1783 — George his x mark McKindley

To the honourable Members above mentioned, these are to Certify that George McKindley above mentioned did march with the Militia in Capt. Isaac Lewis's Company as above said, and that he was taken and Detained by the British as above set forth.

Witness our hands, June Anno Dom. 1783

ISAAC LEWIS
EVAN DAVIS
JAMES KINKEED
ANDW. MULDROH

Note—See Delaware Archives
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## A RETURN OF THE SOUTHERN REGIMENT

A Return of the Delaware Regiment of Infantry, Commanded by Capt. William McKennan Serving in the Southern Army of the United States

November 11th. 1782

| CAMP SO. ARMY | Officers fit for Duty | | | | | | | | Drum & Fife | Rank & File | Sick | | Extra service | On Furlough | Total | Alterations | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Captains | Lieutenants | Adjutant | Surgeon | Suj. Major | QM Serj. | Fife Major | Serjeants | | | Present | On Com'and | | | | Dead | Joined |
| 1st Company..... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 41 | 14 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 67 | 2 | 2 |
| 2nd. Company..... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 5 | 3 | 40 | 15 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 69 | ... | ... |
| Total..... | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 8 | 81 | 29 | 14 | 10 | 2 | 136 | 2 | 2 |

Sick absent..... 1 N. B. One Serjt. transferred to the State, by Inability.

WM. McKENNAN, Capt. Comd. D. R.

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## BILL OF HON. JOHN McKINLY

THE DELAWARE STATE TO JOHN McKINLY Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | Balance due on Settlement of Audt. by a Committee of the General Assembly, & by them allowed, 7th. June 1777 | £1516.10. 3 |
| 1777 | | |
| June 28th | Cash paid Capt. Ralph Walker, appointed Major of the Fort at Wilmington & to command the Guard there by the Gen'l Assembly in Feb. last, for his own pay and that of the Guard | 40.00.00 |
| July 3rd. | Cash pd John Crampton for riding Express to Phila. with letters on public Business to the Prest. of Congress | 2. 5. 0 |
| 24th. | Cash pd Major Walker for self & Guard | 60. |
| Aug. 5th. | Do Do Do Do | 22.10. |
| 9th. | Do pd Jno. Rumford for Bread had for the use of the Militia of this State, in pursuance of a Resolution of the G'l As'y | 225. |
| 15th. | Do pd John Crompton for twice riding Express to Dover with Letters on public Business to Gen. Rodney &c | 5. |
| 13th. | Cash pd Capt. Kear for recruiting the Delaware Batallion, being nominated for that purpose by the Privy Council in Consequence of a Resolution of Congress | 75. |
| | Cash sent for the like purpose to Capt. Samuel Smith and Major McDonagh being nominated as afores'd | 75. |
| 16th. | Cash to Lieut. Colo. Pope for the like purpose | 187.10. |
| | Cash pd Maj. Walker for self & Guard | 22.10. |
| 30th. | Do Do Do Do | 50. |
| | Do pd Wm. Carter for a Musket, in consequence of Orders from Gen'l Assembly to purchase Arms | 2. 5. |
| | Do pd Israel Beach for a Musket pr Do | 5. |
| Sept. 2nd. | Do pd Jacob Stiles for Do | 2. 5. |
| | Do pd Zebedee Simonds for 3 Do &c | 13. 5. |
| | Do pd Stephen Boynts for a Musket | 3.15. |
| | Do pd Jonas Brooks for Do | 5. |
| 3rd. | Do pd Nehemiah Delaplain for repairs to the public Arms | 45. |
| | Do pd Jonas Brooks for two Muskets | 6.12. 6 |
| | Do pd David Hall for two Cartouch Boxes | 17. 6. |
| | Do pd George Taylor for freight as in Audt | 7. |
| | Do pd Nich's Cox for riding Express to Dover with public letters to Gen. Rodney &c | 2.10. |
| | | £2374.15. 3 |
| | Interest on £1516.10. 3 from 7th. June 1777, until 25th. Oct. 1778 | 125.17. 1½ |
| | Interest on the remaining sum until the last Date | 61. 8.11 |
| | Interest on the whole sum thence till Settlement (by the Committee) | 17. 1. 6 |
| | | £2579. 2. 9½ |

## BILL OF HON. JOHN McKINLY

THE STATE OF DELAWARE TO JOHN McKINLY Dr.

| | |
|---|---|
| To Cash advanced for public Services as Pr Aud. passed the Genl.Assembly of said State the 3rd. of Feb'y. 1779 | £2579. 2. 9½ |
| To Interest thereon from the above date until 26th Oct. 1782, being 3 years 8¾ Months | 577.18½.0 |
| To additional Interest from the last Date until it passes the Gen'l Assembly being 103 days | 43.11. 4¼ |

| | |
|---|---|
| To my Salary as Presd't from my appointment 22 Feb. 1777 until exchanged 14th. Sept. 1778 @ £200 pr Anno | 311.10. 0 |
| To my Expenses from being made a prisoner by the Enemy in the Night of 13th. Sept. 1777, until exchanged the 14th. Sept. 1778, such being exceeding high within their lines—cost me at least | 300. 0. 0 |
| To Interest on this last sum of £300 until the 14th. Sept. 1782 being4 years @ £18 pr Anno | 72. 0. 0 |
| To additional Interest 19 Weeks which includes the 6th. Feb. 1783 | 7. 2. 6 |
| | £3891. 4. 7¾ |
| To Interest on the Principal of the above Aud. which is £2879. 2, 9½ from the 6th of Feb. 1783 to the 6th June 1783 | 57. 11. 8 |
| | 3948. 16. ¾ |

The joint Committee of Audt. to whom the Audt. of John McKinly Esq. were referred Beg Leave to make the following Report—that it is the opinion of your Committee that the Audt. of John McKinly Esq. together with the Interest to the 6th day of June 1783, as stated in the same, amounting to Three Thousand Nine Hundred & Forty Eight Pounds, is just and right, & that a Certificate for the same, bearing Interest from the Date of this Report, ought to be given the sd. John McKinly for the Sd. Sum.

June 6th. 1783

JOSHUA POLK
JOHN BANNING
PHILIP BARRATT
THOS. KEAN
N. WAPLES

Sir.

I take the freedom to trouble you with the inclosed Acct. & request the favour that you would be pleased to lay the same before your Honourable House, so as to have it regularly passed—When I was made a Prisoner by the Enemy, amongst many valuable Effects which they took from me, were my books of Audt. Deeds & Papers, however it happened they did not find a small Book of Receipts I had taken for money advanced for the State, these Receipts I sent to the General Assembly the next Session after my Exchange, who were pleased, on such evident Vouchers, to allow the same as in the first Article of said Audt.—As I was then only anxious to have that Sum ascertained. I therefore exhibited no other charge but being persuaded that the General Assembly will think it reasonable that I should be allowed the annual Salary, fixed by Law, on the President of the State, not only during the time I was in the Execution of that Office, but likewise, as it is customary in similar cases, so long as I was a Prisoner, together with the Expenses paid during that disagreeable & mortifying Year, wherein I was kept 22 Weeks in close Confinement, & the whole time entirely at my own Expense, which were considerably hightened by my desire to appear, in some degree, becoming the Rank I had held in the State—This charge I flatter myself will be thought the more reasonable as I have made none for any Expenses incurred whilst in Office, altho' the multiplicity of Business in making the several necessary arrangements under the new Government, the threatened & actual Invasion of the Enemy made that period remarkably troublesom & expensive; and notwithstanding that I find it has since been customary to have such charges allowed—neither have I made any for the heavy Losses & Damages I sustained when captured as President, for I would have it remarked

that the other Inhabitants of this place were generally suffered at the same time, to enjoy their Liberties & Properties, As I have made no charge of Interest but for money disbursed, I hope your honourable House will not only approve of the same, but will likewise cause the whole sum, which may be allowed me, to be entered in such manner as to bear Interest until paid, which I expect will be a considerable time hence, for as I know the present exigencies of the Public, I am far from desiring, from any self interested motive, that payment shou'd be made me, until those are supplied—I have the honour to be with due esteem & regard Sir

Your most obed. & humb. Serv.

JOHN McKINLY

The Hon'ble Simon Kollock Esq. Speaker

## A RETURN OF THE MEN'S NAMES WHO CAME FROM THE SOUTHARD 7th. MARCH 1783

Serjt. Major Seymour
Serjt. Oram Q. M. S.
Serjt. McGuire
Serjt. Eshom
Serjt. Brooks
Serjt. Rowan
Serjt. Pharis
Corpl. Henry Rowan
" Nash
" Lecatt
Timothy Cook F. Major
Jno. Johnson
Wm. Skinner
Thos. Gore, Drummer
Samuel Cane (Kain)
Privates
Jno. Watkins
Chas. Connelly
Eli Dodd
Jno. McCabe
John Preston
Chris'r Willet
Robt. Downs
Jas. Davis
And'w Dixon
Den. Dempsey
Jno. McNight
Pat. Coleman
Thos. Derrick
Willm. Horton
Danl. Loller
Jacob Cork
Wm. Keys
Thos. Collins
Jno. Service
Ebenezer Blackshire
Robt. Miller
Jas. Turner
Jno. Roberts
Jos. McAfee
Pat. McCurdy
Wm. Walker
Wm. Barker
Ben. Jones
Willm. Simmons
Wm. Flannegan
Jno. Aull
Willm. Burchard
Phillip Little
Willm. McGahey
Jas. Leonard
Jos. Hammond
Thos. Flinn
Jno. Belford
Majr. Hitchens
Jno. Lahey
Jos. Preston
Wm. Lingo
Thos. Mason
Peter Beckets
Lott Ford
Caleb Hitchens
Labon Turner
Jas. O'Neal
Aaron Teazer
Levin McGee

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List of Soldiers Names delivered by Capt. Moore

## ROLL OF THE MENS NAMES OF THE 2d COMPANY IN THE DELAWARE REGT. THAT IS RETURNED FROM THE SOUTHARD

March 7th. 1783

See p. 253

| No. | NAMES | No. | NAMES | No. | NAMES |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Serjt. | | | | | |
| 1 | James Murphy | 24 | Isaac Landsly | | |
| 2 | Thomas Thompson | 25 | James Catton | | |
| 3 | Samuel Cross | 26 | William Hudson | | |
| 4 | Hamilton O'Neil | 27 | William Plowman | | |
| | | 28 | John Benson | | |
| Corp. | | 29 | Jas. Demar | | |
| 1 | Elijah Houston | 30 | James Cook | | |
| 2 | Jacob Forbee | 31 | Neal McCan | | |
| | | 32 | William Murphy | | |
| D & | | 33 | John Conner | | |
| Fife | | 34 | Peter Lee | | |
| 1 | Adam Towland | 35 | Nathan Bowen | | |
| 2 | John Hackney | 36 | Daniel Murry | | |
| 3 | Jos. Statton | 37 | David Ellis | | |
| | | 38 | William Ake | | |
| Priv. | | 39 | Jos. Fitchjerrel | | |
| 1 | Moses Nicklas | 40 | William Furbush | | |
| 2 | Michael Daugherty | 41 | Peter Cross | | |
| 3 | Stephen Culver | 42 | Anthony Dilarose | | |
| 4 | Thomas Clark | 43 | Henry Willis | | |
| 5 | Jesse Royal | 44 | William Perry | | |
| 6 | Jonathan Cook | 45 | Thomas Cox | | not in the Books |
| 7 | John Middleton | 46 | John Turner | | |
| 8 | Robert Streeps | 47 | Roger McBrid | | not in the books |
| 9 | Samuel Bass | 48 | Benjm. Bennitt | | |
| 10 | Matthew Hilford | 49 | William Donielson | | |
| 11 | Michael Garvin | 50 | Richard Cogan | | not in the Books |
| 12 | George Clifton | 51 | Jos. Thompson | | not in the Books |
| 13 | James Winright | 52 | James Megee | | not in the Books |
| 14 | Cassey Hall | 53 | Preston Hutt | | not in the Books |
| 15 | Neal Livingston | | | | |
| 16 | James Kimmy | | | | |
| 17 | Samuel Long | | | | |
| 18 | William Stanton | | | | |
| 19 | Thomas Harper | | | | |
| 20 | William Simpson | | | | |
| 21 | Edw. Morris | | | | |
| 22 | William Slay | | | | |
| 23 | Samuel Nicklas | | | | |

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List of Soldiers Names delivered by Capt. Moore

## DAMAGES TO PROPERTY BY THE BRITISH ARMY

An Account of Damages don to Sundry persons in Brandywine Hundred in the County of Newcastle on Delaware by the British Army since the Commencement of the present War

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1777 | To Cash Taken from Jas. McKee as pr Acct | 10- 2- 6 | |
| | To Sundry Stock and furniture from Andr. McKee | 59- 0- 0 | |
| | To do do from Andw. McKee Sen. | 52-10- 0 | |
| | To do do from Francis Day | 40-13- 1 | |
| | To do do from Joseph Jackson | 22-10 -0 | |
| | | | 184-15-7 |

Damages don in Mill Creek Hundred

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1777 | To Sundry Horses Sheep &c. Taken from Evan Rice Esq. | 68- 5- 0 | |
| | To do do from Danl. McKee | 70- 6- 0 | |
| | To do a Negro Taken from Saml. Kelly | 200- 0- 0 | |
| | To do Sundry goods from Robt. Creighton | 24- 4- 6 | |
| | To do Horses sheep &c. from Alex. Guthery | 101-10- 0 | |
| | To do from Thomas Rice | 177-15- 3 | |
| | | | 582- 0-9 |

Damages don in Redlyon Hundred

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To Sundry wearing apparel from Alexr. Carrey | 5-19- 6 | |
| To 3 Negroes Taken from John McWhorter | 248-0- 0 | |
| To do from Thomas McGraw | 195- 0- 0 | |
| To Sundry Clothing & furniture from Evin Morgan | 39- 6- 0 | |
| To do from Cornelius Kettle | 401-15-10 | |
| To do from Anthony Dushane | 110-11- 1 | |
| To do from John Hyat Esq. | 249- 0 - | |
| To do from Geo. Monroe Esq. one Negroman | 150- 0- 0 | |
| To do from William Rankin | 173- 0- 0 | |
| To do from Hanah Dushane | 186- 0 -0 | |
| To do from Humphrey Carson | 125- 0- 0 | |
| | | 1953-12-0 |

Damages don in Pencader Hundred

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1777 | To Sundry goods &c. Taken from Jas. McEwen | 32-17- 0 | |
| | To do do John Cowan | 11- 0- 0 | |
| | To do do Joseph Jamison | 25- 2- 5 | |
| | To do do Alexr. McLane | 4-10- 0 | |
| | To do do Abel Davis | 66-19- 0 | |
| | To do do James Adair | 16-10- 0 | |
| | To do do William McGaughy | 40-14- 6 | |
| | To do do John Cann | 97- 8- 0 | |
| | To do do John Evans | 49-11- 9 | |
| | To do do David Thomas | 84- 5- 0 | |
| | To do do David McFaun | 11- 0- 0 | |
| | To do do Andrew Fisher | 901-15- 6 | |
| | To do do Joseph Thomas | 202-10- 0 | |
| | To do do Isaac Alexander | 84-10- 0 | |
| | To do do Francis Moore | 102-10- 0 | |
| | To do do James Williams | 5- 0- 0 | |
| | To do do James John | 45- 4- 6 | |
| | To do do Elizabeth Bowen | 14-18- 6 | |
| | To do do John Moore | 22- 2- 0 | |
| | To do do William Williams | 19- 5- 0 | |
| | To do do David Rene | 19- 0- 0 | |
| | forward | | 1856-12-4 |

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| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Pencader Hundred | Amount forward | 1856-12-4 |
| To Sundry goods &c. taken from David McKinley | | | | 22-17-6 | |
| To | do | do | Samuel Beatman | 5-15-0 | |
| To | do | do | Thos. Evans | 69- 0-0 | |
| To | do | do | Lewis Millar | 23- 0-0 | |
| To | do | do | James McMullen | 28-19-9 | |
| To | do | do | John Griffith | 113-15-0 | |
| To | do | do | Thos. Williams | 25-15-0 | |
| To | do | do | David Tweedy | 5-12-6 | |
| To | do | do | Joanna Jones | 86-17-6 | |
| To | do | do | Hanah Edwards | 42- 6-0 | |
| To | do | do | Benjn. Alexander | 25- 0- | |
| To | do | do | Christopher McAllister | 18- 6-3 | |
| To | do | do | Hugh Jackson | 1-15-9 | |
| To | do | do | Ann Smith | 7- 0-6 | |
| To | do | do | John Jamison | 41-5- 0 | |
| To | do | do | James Allen & Mary Cochran | 9-15-0 | |
| To | do | do | Wm. Milligan | 62-10-0 | |
| To | do | do | Robert McCoy | 257- 4-6 | |
| To | do | do | William Thompson | 206- 7-0 | |
| To | do | do | Thomas Cooch Esq | 805- 2-4 | |
| To | do | do | Isaac Lewis Esq | 136- 9-8 | |
| To | do | do | John Underwood | 519- 0-9 | |
| To | do | do | David John | 61-19-0 | |
| To | do | do | Thomas Watson | 416-13-0 | |
| To | do | do | Griffith Griffith | 91-13-6 | |
| To | do | do | Elinor McCrary | 303-16-6 | |
| To | do | do | Thomas David | 115-14- | |
| To | do | do | James Kinkade | 128-15- | |
| To | do | do | Evan David | 40-13-9 | |
| To | do | do | Thomas McCrea | 50- 5-9 | |
| To | do | do | John Barr | 89-17-6 | |
| To | do | do | William Price | 28- 0 | |
| To | do | do | Margret Howel | 22-17- | |
| To | do | do | John Elder | 84-10-6 | |
| To | do | do | Andrew Mulderach | 107- 5- | |
| To | do | do | John Bowen | 441-10-6 | |
| To | do | do | Sarah Taylor | 60-10-0 | |
| To | do | do | Elinor Stewart | 33-17-6 | |
| To | do | do | John Townsend | 24- 2-6 | |
| To | do | do | Saml. Jones | 7- 7- | |
| To | do | do | David Martin | 10-12-6 | |
| To | do | do | William Farris | 223- 0-4 | |
| | | | | | 6923- 0- 4 |

Further Damages in Mill Creek Hundred

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| To Sundry Articles of furniture Taken from Jane Rice | | | | 374-12-0 | |
| To | do | do | from James Black Esq | 190-10-0 | |
| | | | | | 365- 2- 0 |
| | | | Amt. forward | | 10208-11-1 |

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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount forward | | 10208–11–1 |

Damages in Whitclay Creek Hundred

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To Sundry pieces of furniture taken from E. Stewart | 57– 3– 6 | |
| To do do John Morrison | 13–10– 6 | |
| To do do Margret Enos | 14–17– 6 | |
| To do do Mary Read | 180– 0– 0 | |
| To do do Henry Darby | 35– 4– 0 | |
| To do do John Simonton | 252– 3– 2 | |
| To do do Robert McAntire | 130– 0– 0 | |
| To do do George Reynolds | 91– 5– 0 | |
| To do do Jacob Morton | 119– 0– 0 | |
| To do do William Patteson Esq. | 1366– 4– 9 | |
| To do do Robert Patterson | 30–11–09 | |
| To do do Joseph Rotherim | 131– 0– 0 | |
| To do do Samuel Patterson Esq. | 2000– 0– 0 | |
| | | 25420–0– 2 |

Damages don by the British in St. Georges Hundred

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To Sundry goods Taken & destroyed Jacob Gazier | 401– 5– 0 | |
| To do do Robert Meldrum | 150– 0– 0 | |
| To do do Saml. Smith | 225– 0– 0 | |
| To do do Joseph Aspril | 9–10– 0 | |
| To do do Peter Jetun | 150– 0– 0 | |
| To do do Henry Forster Esq. | 350– 0– 0 | |
| To do do Christopher Vandegrift | 100– 0– 0 | |
| To do do William Rankin | 12– 0– 0 | |
| | | 1397– |

Damages in Chritiana Hundred don by the Enemy

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To John McKinly Esq. do | 1055– 0– 0 | |
| To Thos. Kean Esq. do | 587– 0– 0 | |
| To Joashu Mortonson do | 335– 0– 0 | |
| To Francis Johnson do | 250– 0– 0 | |
| To Mathew Crips do | 150– 0– 0 | |
| To John Lea Esq. do | 196– 0– 0 | |
| To Henry Garretson do | 137–13– 9 | |
| To Absolom Scott do | 24–19– 0 | |
| To Thos. Hanaway do | 67–17– 0 | |
| To Andrew Cripps do | 188– 1– 6 | |
| To Sarah Allison do | 350– 0– 0 | |
| To James Chandler do | 409– 5– 0 | |
| To Joseph Stidham Esq. do | 405–17– 0 | |
| To Lucas Walraven do | 13– 7– 6 | |
| To Cornelius Haynes do | 386– 6– 0 | |
| | | 4556– 4– 9 |

Damage don by the British Army N Castle Hundred

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To Joseph Sellars Pr his Acct. | 172– 5– 0 | |
| To William Carson do | 442–15– 0 | |
| To Abraham Short do | 100– 0– 0 | |
| To Thomas Stafford do | 147– 4– 8 | |
| To Robert Bryan do | 296–10– 0 | |
| To Saml. Ruth do | 350– 0– 0 | |
| | | 1508–14– 8 |

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Further Damages in Christiana Hundred

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Conrad Gray a Negro &c. | 167- 9- 0 | |
| do WhitClay Creek Hund. Wm. McMechen | 16-10- 0 | |
| | | 183-19- |
| | | 43274- 9- 8 |

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## DAMAGE DONE IN KENT COUNTY

An Acct. of Property taken by the Enemy, belonging to Inhabitants of Duck Creek Hundred, now returned to the General Assembly, agreeable to the directions of certain Resolutions, passed at their last sitting, by Benjamin Vining, Treasurer of Kent County.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1781 | To Elias & John Wood, viz. | |
| Dec.6. | To Sundry Goods, Wares & Merchandizes, taken by the Refugees as per Acct. & Probate herewith returned | £262.18. 0 |
| | To Sundry Barrels taken by, & loss on damaged flour retaken from the Refugees as per acct & probate | 26. 6.. 4 |
| Jany. 1783 | | 289. 4. 4 |

B. VINING

## LOSSES OF ELIAS & JOHN WOOD

A True account of Losses Elias & John Wood have Lost by the Refugees Crusing in Delaware Bay

| | | L S D |
|---|---|---|
| 1781 | | |
| Dec. 6th | To 2 barrels of Queensware Cost in Wilmington Bought by Elias Wood | 18.18 |
| | 2 Barrels Flour @ 45 pr barrel | 4.10. |
| | To Freight money taken should a been E. & John Wood | 17.10. |
| 1782 | To a bed & Cover Led worth 20.00 Dolls | 7.10. |
| July 13 | To 2 blankets & sheets & Cabin Furniture | 8. |
| | This Day took our Schooner Loaded with wood & was retaken by Capt. Hand of the Jerseys who made us pay him 160 £ selvage for trouble | 160. |
| | To Loss of wood & Cabin Furniture the third time | 22.10 |
| Dec. 26th | To Watch plunder & took from John Wood at thorofare | 9. |
| | To a New great Coate worth 20 Dolls | 7.10 |
| | To a a New Hatt worth 12 Dolls | 4.10. |
| | To 1 Large pare of shoebuckles & nee Ditto worth | 3. |
| | | £262.18.0 |

ELIAS WOOD
JOHN WOOD

Kent County SS

Personally Appeared before the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the said County Elias Wood and John Wood, and Prov'd the above Amt. according to Resolve of the General Assembly made the 1st day of Nov. Last as witness My hand this 4th day of January 1783

ISAAC CARTY

## CERTIFICATION OF ENLISTMENTS

Application of Alexander Crawford Brown for a Pension

Was enlisted in Capt. Darby's Company by the name of Alexander Crawford (only) & his name found in the pay rolls of Capt. Enoch Anderson's Company for the months of April, May, June, July & August of 1778

His papers returned with a Certificate

P. ROBINSON

Capt. Allen McLane In favor of Daniel Dewees

Whereas the bearer Dan'l Dewees late a Soldier in the American Army, has been censured for deserting his Colours while engaged near Georgetown in the year 1781. Wch censure I am warranted, (after a particular enquiry of Officers and Soldiers) to certify is without Just cause. And from a sense of Duty flowing in my breast in favour of injured innocence, Do certify to all it may concern, That Dan'l Dewess enlisted as a Soldier in the Company I had the honour to command, in the year 1777, and that he served faithfully till he had the misfortune to be taken; And from all Information I have been able to collect he conducted himself while a Prisoner as a Steady friend to the American cause.

Given under my hand this 23rd. day of April 1784

ALLEN McLANE

This will Certify that Andrew Murphey a Citizen of the State of Delaware Enlisted in the Company I then Commanded—on the first day of March 1779

Cross Roads
October 23rd 1783

ALLEN McLANE

Sir.

the bearer William Jenkins is one of the lost Enlisted Soldiers of my Company—his Enlistment is dated february 29th, 1780

X Roads Sept. 3rd. 1780

To the Hon, Ellr. McComb Esq.

I am Sir yours

ALLEN McLANE

Cross Roads Sept. 2nd. 1783

Sir—

I omitted the opportunity of yesterday of mentioning what I know respecting the inlistments of Several of Col. Lee's Legion—a part of the quota of this State—as to sutch of them—that I did not inlist—and that Col. Lee has neglected to date—as they call on me I can Certify as far as my memory Serves—with the assistance of some Legion papers now in my Possetion

I am Sir with all Respect

Your Humble Serv.

The Hon'l Ellia. McComb Esq.

ALLEN McLANE

On back of paper

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hugh McDade | Inlisted | 2nd. February | 1778 |
| Jeremiah McDade | | 20th. May | 1778 |
| William Cox | | 6th. Feb. | 1778 |
| John Kinkead | | 14th. August | 1778 |

I do Certify that Corpl. Hugh McDade one of Col. Lee's Legion Enlisted february 2nd. 1778 and that Jeremiah McDade Enlisted May 20th. 1778, and that John Kinkead Enlisted Aug. 14th. 1778, and that William Cox Enlisted Feby. 6th. 1778.

Cross Roads ALLEN McLANE

September 2nd. 1783

To the Hon. Elliasor McComb Esq.

State of Maryland } SS
Worcester County }

Then came before me the subscriber a Justice of the Peace in and for said County Ruel Powders and made Oath on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God that Thomas Dazey was a Soldier in the American Army under Capt. William Perry (Peery) Sussex County State of Delaware during the year Seventeen hundred & Seventy Seven & the said Powders served with said Dazey in the Army during said year—Given under my hand and seal this 3rd day of July 1818

JOHN J. WILLIAMS Seal

## NAMES OF TWO SOLDIERS

List of delinquent Taxables for Cedar Creek Hd. for the year 1781
Robert McCay, a Soldier deserted
John Possels Jr. A soldier deserted

## AFFIDAVIT OF WILLIAM PYCKLIN RELATING TO JOHN O'BRYAN

New Castle County SS

Sept. 16 1782

Personally appeared Wm. Picklin before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace for the County Afd. and made oath on the Holy Evangils of Almighty God that on the 30th. day of April in the year of our Lord 1777 he had been at Noxen Town fair and on his return home he called at the Tavern in Middletown to avoid a shower of Rain where he met with John O'Bryan with whom he is well acquainted and a certain Captain Carlisle and Mr. Killen were in the room. After some conversation which this deponent had with Sd. OBryan he saw him inlist himself with Captn. Carlisle and saw him Qualified he thinks to serve in the Army of the United States for 3 years and further this deponent saith not

Sworn before WILLIAM PYCKLIN
JOSHUA CLAYTON

## COPIES OF RECORDS RELATING TO JOHN O'BRYAN

A Coppy from the Original
Camp Christeen Bridge September 4th. 1781

The bearer hereof John O'Byon of Capt. Carlisles Company in the Canadian old Regt. Commanded by Lieut Colonel Commandant Antill being old infirm and unfit for field duty is recommended for leave of absence untill the first of January Next JOHN CARLISLE Capt.

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For the reasons above mentioned the above person has leave to Remeane with his friends near this place untill the first of January Next at which time he is to join the Corps of Invalids as a further Provision for him: or at his Option Discharged the Service of the United States as well as all Clam of any Subsistance from them

EDWD. ANTILL
Lieut. Col. Commandant

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I the subscriber acknowledge to have Receavd. all my Nominal pay due to me from the United States up to the first day of August 1780 and my Cloathing up to the present Date or for the Ensuing Year

[his
JOHN X O'BRIAN
mark

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I approve of the within leave of Absence
Camp Christeen Bridge 4th. Sept. 1781

Moses Hazen Brigr. Genl.

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New Castle County SS January 1st. 1782

I do hereby certify that the above named John O'Brean Came before me the Subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace for the County aforesaid and declared it to be his desire to Accept of the within Discharge from the Service of the United States Rather then to Join the Corps of Invailids and that he has not any Clame for further Subsistance from them before Joshua Clayton

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Auditor, desirous as he is to avoid partiality, thinks it his duty to make the the following Report:

That there is due to Mrs. Elizabeth Battell for the amount of sundry orders drawn by the late President Rodney on the State Treasurer, between the 10th. of March 1780, and 10th. December following, and now remaining in her hands unpaid, the sum of Thirty three Pounds eighteen shillings and nine pence, being the specie value of the money drawn for.

That there is due to John Levick for loss of time and expenses incurred by a wound he received in the service of the State the 2nd September 1781, the sum of Twenty-five pounds five shillings and ten pence.

That there is due to Sarah Mason, widow & Administratrix of Elias Mason deceased, for board and other expenses of Doctors, nurses and other attendants on her late Husband during his illness of the wounds he received in an engagement with a party of Refugees the 2d. September 1781, of which he died,—and for his funeral charges, the sum of Fifteen pounds sixteen shillings & ten pence.

That there is due to Ann Tull for her services in nursing Elias Mason 6½ weeks @ 12/6 p week, the sum of Four pounds one shilling and three pence.

That there is due to Agnes Andrew for nursing Elias Mason 5 weeks at 12/6 pr week the sum of three pounds two shillings & 6 pence.

Auditors Office
June 24th. 1784

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## AFFIDAVIT OF BOAZ BOYCE

Newcastle County SS.

Personally Appeared before me Joseph Tatlow Esq. one of the Justice of the peace of the said County, Boaz Boyce of St. Georges Hundred who being Sworn in due form of law, on his Solemn Oath Saith, that he was a private in Capt. Witherspoon's Company of Malishtia, And that he was with Left. Moody At Cantwells bridge. And was called upon to proceed down to Duck Creek with Capt. Lewis who was one of the Captains in the Whig Batalion in the year one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven, in order to Destroy Some vessels in the said Creek.

And Isaac Burchard also Appeared,—Doth Certify that the facts above stated is just and True

Sworn & Subscribed the 21st of January 1805
Before
JOSEPH TATLOW

his
BOAZ BOYCE X
mark
ISAAC BURCHARD

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## EXTRACT'S FROM THE STATE AUDITOR'S JOURNAL

Apr. 10th. 1784

FORT GARRISON AT CHRISTINA TO JOHN McKINLY ESQR.

For money paid Andrew VanEman for his own and the pay and subsistance of another Sergeant and 6 privates from 31st. Dec. 1776, to 29th. Jany. 1777. & fines ..... 9: 0: 0

May 26th. 1784

UNITED STATES TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For an order of the General Assembly in favor of William Powders for expenses incurred by attending Wm. Powders Jr. and Daniel Reardon of wounds they received under the orders of Capt. Learmonth, the former of whom died of his wounds..... 483: 4: 6

May 26th. 1784

UNITED STATES TO CHARLES RIDGELY ESQR. DR.

For his attending Philip Noble a soldier in the Delaware Regt..... 313:15: 0
For attending Philip Reily a soldier in Capt. McLane's Co..... 99:15: 0

413: 5: 0

May 26th. 1784

COLO. NEIL'S REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| For paying Bounty to Capt. | Charles Nixon in 2 payments | | | 300: 0: 0 |
| Capt. | Simon W. Wilson 2 payments | | | 300: 0: 0 |
| " | William McClements 1 payment | | | 100: 0: 0 |
| Lieut. | John Venn | 2 | " | 200: 0: 0 |
| " | Benjamin Warren | 2 | " | 200: 0: 0 |
| " | James Frazer | 2 | " | 200: 0: 0 |
| " | John Howell | 2 | " | 200: 0: 0 |
| | | | | 1500: 0: 0 |

Nov. 3rd. 1784

UNITED STATES TO JOHN CLOWES DR.

For expenses of Capt. Curtis Kendall's Party of 18 Virginia Soldiers and a wash-woman on their way to camp..... 1: 3:11
For expenses of Thomas Cutler's team in Continental Service hauling blankets..... : 7: 6

1:11: 5

Nov. 3rd. 1784

DELAWARE STATE TO WILLIAM ROBINS DR.

For loss of time and expenses of curing a wound received in the Public Service..... 4: 0: 0

Dec. 9th. 1784

UNITED STATES TO JAMES McNEILL DR.

For his expenses as serjeant of the Guard conducting Capt. Perry, a British Prisoner, to Lewes Town..... :16: 0

UNITED STATES TO WILLIAM MOLLESTON DR.

For reducing James Forsyth's leg and medicine, of attendance to him and William Roe..... 7: 1: 9

## EXTRACTS FROM THE STATE AUDITORS' JOURNAL (Continued)

June 3rd. 1785

DELAWARE STATE TO JOHN CRAVEN DR

For acting Quarter-Master on duty at Port Penn May 1776 ..... 34:17:10

April 24th. 1786

DELAWARE REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying Interest on Certificates of Depreciation

| Name | No | Amount | Name | No | Amount |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hugh Dougherty | 461 | 20: 6:11 | Moses Faris | 351 | 24: 0: 0 |
| John Timmons | 207,208 | 17: 1: 3 | Charles Draper | 540 | 18: 1: 3 |
| Margt. North | 506 | 21: 8: 8 | Andrew Barrett | 526 | 17:12: 0 |
| James Townsend | 283 | 4:16: 9 | John Laws | 118 | 12: 0: 0 |
| Eliza Rowan | 325,326 | 23: 7: 4 | Levi Tucker | 525 | 15:12: 4 |

LIST OF PENSIONERS TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying the following disabled soldiers on account of their allowance

| Name | Amount | Name | Amount | Name | Amount |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Charles Dowds | 24: 0: 0 | Joseph Ferguson | 39: 0: 0 | John Gorman | 31:10: 0 |
| John Pemberton | 31:10: 0 | Richard Cawfield | 7:10: 0 | Joseph Sapp | 22:10: 0 |
| Thomas Watson | 18: 0: 0 | Jenkin Evans | 22:10: 0 | Isaac Carvell | 45: 0: 0 |
| George Stewart Jr. | 22:10: 0 | Thomas Skirven | 5: 0: 0 | Thomas McGuire | 7:q10: |
| Richard Cogan | 11: 5: 0 | Kinley Haslet | 37:10: 0 | Dennis Leary | 18:15: 0 |
| John Carr | 4: 5: 0 | Richard Treasure | 75: 0: 0 | John Gorman | 13:10: 3 |
| Thomas Watson | 18: 0: 0 | Thomas Wells | 11: 5: 0 | John Peterson | 22:10: 0 |
| Archibald McBride | 7:10: 0 | John Clifton | 22:10: 0 | Dennis Leary | 7:10: 0 |
| Patrick Dunn | 11: 5: 0 | Thomas Holdstone | 22:10: 0 | | |

DELAWARE REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying Interest on Certificates of Depreciation to

| Name | No. | Amount | Name | No | Amount |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Andrew Purden | 397 | 21: 7: 3 | Edward Craig | 40 | 10: 4: 7 |
| Hugh Thompson | 311,321,358 | | H. W. Pierce | 205,245,472 | 33: 1: 0 |
| | 405.421 | 82:18:11 | Thomas May | 12 | 15: 0: 0 |
| James Broom | 447 | 26:17: 6 | Ann Skillington | 77 | 12: 0: 0 |
| Isaac Draper | 21,22,23,29 | | Jacob Broom | 60 | 9:18:11 |
| | 30,495 | 63:17: 6 | | | |

## EXTRACTS FROM THE STATE AUDITORS' JOURNAL (Continued)

### DELAWARE REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying on account of Colo. Neill's Regiment to

| Name | Amount | Name | Amount | Name | Amount |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| William Hall | 6: 1: 8 | Thomas West | 9: 0: 0 | William Coulter | 13:10: 0 |
| Richard Furbush | 9:18: 0 | John Coulter | 7: 0: 0x | John Fleming | 9: 0 : |
| Spencer Lacy | 9:18: 0 | Amos Glover | 9:18: 0 | Corbin Coulter | 9: 0: 0 |
| William Mustard | 9: 0: 0 | William Frame | 13:10: 0 | Major Bromley | 9: 0: 0 |
| John Brady | 13:10: 0 | Jacob Nottingham | 13:10: 0 | John Hopkins | 9: 0: 0 |
| William Hopkins | 9: 0: 0 | William Newbold Ens. | 30: 2: 4 | John Lacy | 9:18: 0 |
| Thomas Roach | 9: 0: 0 | John Beezy | 5: 5: 0 | Constant Mariner | 5: 3: 4 |
| Jacob Addison | 9: 0: 0 | Nathaniel Bradford | 9: 0: 0 | Parker Truitt | 9: 0: 0 |
| William Hardy | 9:18: 0 | Jesse Williams | 9:18: 0 | James King | 9: 0: 0 |
| Samuel Derrickson Lt. | 39:10: 7 | Jos. Vaughan | 9: 0: 0 | Simon W. Wilson Cap. | 62:11: 0 |
| John Venn, Lieut. | 39: 3: 1 | George Wilson | 9:18: 0 | | |

### DELAWARE STATE TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying Interest on Certificates of Depreciation to

| Name | No | Amount | Name | No. | Amount |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Robert Shields, | 228, 267, 268 | | Thomas Rodney, | 277 | 96: 0: 0 |
| | 369, 384, 428, 456 | 105: 8: 1 | Moses Levy Esq. | 173, 191, 222, 233 | 34: 9: 7 |
| Rynear Penton | 307, 308, 314, 322, | | Thomas Thompson | 375, 376, | 30:18: 1 |
| | 329, 330, 363, 364, | 74:11: 1 | Spencer Williams | 522 | 15:12: 5 |
| John McCabe | 339, 340, | 21:14: 2 | Charles Cahoon | 465 | 14: 8: 0 |
| Thomas McGuire | 502 | 21:16: 2 | William Killen | 17 18, 41, 420,506, | 62:19:10 |
| William McMulligan | 469, 470, 505, | 41:17: 5 | James Tilton | 79, to 90 inc. 485, 486, | 405:17: 0 |
| Peter Jaquett | 91 to 100 inc. | 130:18:11 | John Gillespie | 509 | 22: 0: 9 |
| William Brown | 296, 298, 463, | 41:19: 9 | Whittington Clifton | 221 | 10:14: 0 |
| James Moons | 241, 242, | 21:10: 4 | Richard Smith Esq. | 78, 244, 269, 281, | |
| Philemon Dickinson | 113, 114, 185, | | | 283, 303, 304, 464, 467, | |
| | 516, 217, 218, 219, 192, 195, 196, | | | 479, 480, 488, | 125:15:10 |
| | 290, 220, 284, 285, 287, 288, 289, | | William Keys | 343 | 14: 8: 0 |
| | 291, 293, 320, 366, 419, 435, 500, | 260:18: 1 | Joseph Taylor | 466 | 8:15: 5 |
| Smith Faucett | 278, 512, | 21: 2: 3 | David Kirkpatrick | 459, 460, | 54:16: 0 |
| James Delaplain | 457, 490, 501, | 54:19: 5 | John Williss | 523, | 6:14: 2 |
| John Rowan | 331, 332, | 32:19: 9 | Peter Croft | 439, | 21: 6: 5 |
| Jacob Furbee | 404, | 21:10: 1 | Benjamin Malster | 497 | 11:15: 6 |
| B Woodcock | 328, 362, 388, 415, 417, 431, 434, 449, 450, | | | | 125:10: 0 |

April 24th. 1786

DELAWARE STATE TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying on account of Colo, Neill's Regiment to

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Levi Neighbors | 9: 0: 0 | Charles Nixon, Capt. | 60:16: 3 | John Howell Ens. | 23:14:11 |
| William Dodd | 9: 0: 0 | William Stratten | 9: 0: 0 | Daniel Quillen | 9: 0: 0 |
| John Gass | 9: 0: 0 | James White | 9: 0: 0 | Benjamin Correy | 9: 0: 0 |
| Thomas Jester | 9: 0: 0 | Robert Hayes | 9: 0: 0 | | |

DELAWARE REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying Interest on Certificates of Depreciation to

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| James Lowery | 149, 257, 430, | 41: 1: 3 | James Riddle | 496, | 3:17: 6 |
| D. J. Adams | 312, 365, 399, 422, | 75:18:10 | Jacob Broom | 175, 176, 275, 481, | 40: 8: 4 |
| Jonathan Jackson | 536, | 7: 3:11 | Richard McWilliams | 38, 39, | 21:13: 8 |
| Silas Snow | 478, | 16: 9: 0 | Edward Roche | 327, | 16:16: 0 |
| J. Baning Esq. | 377, 436, 437, | | Sarah Wilson | 527, | 7: 0: 2 |
| | 400, 499, 507, 531, | 116:19: 8 | Thomas Proctor | 513, | 17: 1: 2 |

June 14th. 1786

DELAWARE STATE TO COLO. CALEB CIRWITHIN DR.

Delaware State to Colo. Caleb Cirwithin Dr.

For sarvices in the Militia and supplies furnished Prisoners and Guards between March 1778 and Feb. 1783 ..... 22:10: 0

to Capt. Nathaniel Hayes, his officers and privates, for services in the Militia in Sussex in 1780, and a saddle stolen and gun lost in the service ..... 28: 8: 4

Aug. 24th, 1786

DELAWARE STATE TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying on account of Colo. Neill's Regiment to

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Joseph Rogers | Soldier | 5:12: 6 | William Russell | Soldier | 9: 0: 0 | John Pierce | Soldier | 7: 0 :0 |
| William Scotten | " | 9: 0: 0 | James Rogers | " | 8:14: 0 | Jesse Fiddey | " | 6:16: 0 |
| John Rogers | " | 9: 0: 0 | John Pegg | " | 9: 0: 0 | John Freeman | " | 7: 5: 0 |
| Henry Meredith | " | 8:12: 6 | Richard Furbush | " | 9:18: 0 | Solomon Collins | " | 9: 0: 0 |
| Benjamin Warren | Lieut. | 36:11:11 | | | | | | |

## EXTRACTS FROM THE STATE AUDITORS' JOURNAL (Continued)

SUNDRY ACCOUNTS TO GEORGE LATIMER ESQ. DR.

| | |
|---|---|
| James Black for payment of his Comp. as settled by Gen. Assembly Apl. 10. 1778 | 177:13: 6 |
| John James do. do. | 201: 3:10 |
| William Robinson do. do. | 151:16: |
| Thomas Kean Esq. do. do. | 250: 4: 8 |
| Patrick O'Flinn Esq. do. do. | 125:10: 7 |
| Evan Rice Esq. do. do. | 104:18: 6 |
| Robert Pierce Esq. do. do. | 80:11: 6 |
| Nehemiah Delaplain do. do. | 27:10: 0 |
| George Craighead Esq. do. do. | 31: 2: 6 |
| Joseph Stedham Q. M. do. do. | 42:11: 0 |
| Ralph Walker Major for paying the Presidents order in his favor July 1778 | 199:16: 9 |
| Also the following Field & Staff Officers | |
| Thomas Duff Esq. Colo. for his services in 1777 | 37:12: 0 |
| George Craighead Esq. Lieut. Colo do | 27:10: 5 |
| George Evans Esq. Major do | 14: 6: 8 |
| Joseph Stedham Qr. Mr. do | 10:18: 9 |
| James McCrory, Adjutant do | 13: 0: 0 |
| | 1497: 6:11 |
| Samuel Patterson, Esq. Colo. for amount of the Field & Staff Officers of his Regiment viz: His own Pay & Rations | 52: 4: 0 |
| Lieut. Colo. Bedford's do. | 19: 9: 7 |
| Major Robert Bryan's do. | 29: 7: 6 |
| Adjutant M. Atkins do. | 22: 3: 4 |
| Qr. Mr. Thomas Clark's do. | 12:13: 4 |
| | 135:17: 9 |
| As of the Colonel's receipt | |
| Capt. Thomas Watson for amt. of his Company's pay in 1777 | 244: 4:11 |
| Capt. Isaac Alexander do. do. | 215:14: 9 |
| Capt. Walter Carson do. | 265: 0: 0 |
| Capt. Isaac Grantham do. do. | 217: 8: 0 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Capt. Isaac Lewis.....do.....do | 500: 3: 3 |
| Capt. James Dunn.....do.....do | 236:10:11 |
| Capt. John Clark.....do.....do | 161: 4: 8 |
| Capt. Morton Morton.....do.....do | 104:17:11 |
| Capt. John Boggs.....do.....do | 38:10: 0 |
| John McMichen for amount of his account allowed for waggonage | 24:10: 0 |
| John Waterson do do | 1:17: 6 |
| The foregoing payments were for service in 1777 | 2145: 9: 8 |

James James Commissary, for amount of his account ..... 293:16: 6

Thomas McDonough for amounts paid to him for Officers & others in Col. Cantwell's Batn.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Colo. R. Cantwell | 35:10: 5 | Lieut. Colo. H. Forster | 32:18: 4 |
| Major N. VanDyke | 28: 8: 9 | Surgeon J. Wynkoop | 15:10: 0 |
| Capt. Clark's Company | 68: 8: 8 | Capt. Crawford's Company | 60:17:11 |
| Capt. Robinson's do | 48:15: 8 | George Armstrong's | 25: 0: 0 |
| David Stewart's | 21:18: 5½ | Benjamin Bunker's do | 7: 0: 0 |
| Jacob Ozier's do | 20:15: 0 | | |

Oct. 31st. 1786

DELAWARE REGIMENT, for paying Interest on Certificates of Depreciation, Viz.

| | |
|---|---|
| Edward Polk, No. 197 | 4: 7: 0 |
| Hugh Patten Nos. 24, 43, 44, 45, 186, 198, 199, 224, 231, 232, 239, 240, 256, 259, 260, 273, | 91: 9: 4¾ |
| Marinus Haughey, 389 | 18: 9: 4 |
| Robert Barr...261, 346, 359, 360 | 41:16: 0½ |
| Sterrett Grey 494 | 25: 3: 9 |
| | 181: 5: 6¼ |

January 17th. 1787

LIST OF PENSIONERS TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying the following disabled soldiers on account of their monthly allowance

| Name | Receipt | Amount | Name | Receipt | Amount | Name | Receipt | Amount |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Archibald McBride | 20 | 30: 7: 6 | Patrick Dunn | 21 | 26: 5: 0 | John Blaney | 22 | 40:10: 0 |
| Joseph Ferguson | 23 | 1: 2: 6 | George Griffin | 24 | 12: 2: 6 | Jenkin Evans | 31 | 57: 0: 0 |
| Moses McLane | 33 | 8:12: 6 | John Peterson | 48 | 22:10: 0 | John Carr | 58 | 31: 5: 0 |
| John Gorman | 59 | 22:10: 0 | Thomas McGuire | 64 | 16:10: 0 | William Redden | 174 | 35: 0: 0 |
| Richard Cogan | 79 | 6: 0: 0 | Dennis Leary | 181 | 13: 2: 6 | Kinley Haslet | 182 | 37:10: 0 |
| Thomas Shervin | 193 | 8: 0: 0 | Isaac Carvel | 199 | 20: 0: 0 | Thomas Holdston | 201 | 21: 0: 0 |

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### DELAWARE REGIMENT — TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying Interest on the following Certificates of Depreciation, Viz.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Isaac Grantham | No. 13, 14, 15, 16, 367, 368, | 42: 2: 9 |
| Humphrey Carson | 55, 56, 57, 58, | 39: 0: 0 |
| Edward Polk | 280 | 7: 3: 9 |
| Thomas Janvier | 409 | 12: 8:11 |
| Hugh McDads | 471 | 20:14: 2 |
| Elijah Cole | No. 474, 458, 529, 530, | 59: 8:11¾ |
| Hezekiah Niles | 342, 391, 412, | 17: 0: 8¾ |
| James Delaplain | 174, | 4:10: 0 |
| Chas. Draper in part | 540 | 5: 7: 1 |
| James Clark | 351, 352, 353, 354, | 87:13: 0 |

### PAY OF NEILL'S REGIMENT — TO STATE TREASURY DR.

| | |
|---|---|
| Robert Hall | 5: 5: 0 |
| David Owens | 9: 0: 0 |
| John Worrilaw | 13:10: 0 |
| Jesse Saunders | 9: 0: 0 |
| Cornelius Perry | 9: 0: 0 |
| Elzey Moore | 6: 0: 0 |
| Eli Wharton | 9: 0: 0 |
| Cannon Wingate | 4: 0: 0 |
| William Collins | 9: 0: 0 |
| William Conwell | 9: 0: 0 |
| Aaron Floyd | 9: 0: 0 |
| William Short | 9: 0: 0 |
| Isaac Woods | 9: 0: 0 |
| Edward Polk | 5:14: 0 |
| Daniel Jackson | 6:10: 0 |
| John Chambers | 9: 0: 0 |
| John Tam | 9: 0: 0 |
| John Stafford | 13:10: 0 |
| James O'Neal | 9: 0: 0 |
| Thomas Ogilvie | 7: 0: 0 |
| Samuel Magee | 6: 0: 0 |
| Benjamin Dougherty | 9: 0: 0 |
| Solomon Salman | 9: 0: 0 |
| Noble Tull | 9: 0: 0 |
| John Kirkpatrick | 9: 0: 0 |
| Charles Rayfield | 9: 9: 0 |
| William Vaughan | 9:18: 0 |
| John Piper-Ensign | 24: 0: 8½ |
| Robert Owens | 9:18: 0 |
| Capt. William Moore | 48: 1: 5 |
| Frazer Gray | 9: 0: 0 |
| Isaac Williams | 9:18: 0 |
| John Waples | 9: 0: 0 |
| Stephen Collins | 9: 0: 0 |
| Adam Lord | 6: 0: 0 |
| Solomon Carey | 9: 0: 0 |
| Levin Aydelott | 9: 0: 0 |
| Jacob Irons, Lieut. | 29:17: 0 |
| Bennett McDonald | 9: 0: 0 |
| Elijah Morgan | 6: 0: 0 |
| Elijah Carey | 9: 0: 0 |
| John Polk | 5:14: 0 |
| Boaz Fleming | 13:10: 0 |

Apr. 7th. 1787

### DELAWARE REGIMENT — TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying Interest on Certificates of Depreciation, Viz.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Timothy Jackson | Nos 274, 313, 341, 357, 381, 392, 407, 410, 432, 444, | 121:13: 3¼ |
| Eleazer McComb | 206 | 5: 3:10 |
| Francis Janvier | 438 | 22: 1:10 |
| Joseph Taylor | 487 | 27: 1: 6 |

Aug.4th. 1787

PAY OF COLO. NEILL'S REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying the Officers and soldiers in full of their pay, Viz.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| William McClement Capt. | 48:13: 0 | James Kearns | 8:14: 0 | Elijah Downes | 9: 0: 0 |
| Costen Townsend | 8:19: 0 | Davis Meredith | 9:18: 0 | William Manlove | 9: 0: 0 |
| Jesse Logan | 9: 0: 0 | Patrick Connoley | 9: 0: 0 | William Carroll | 9: 0: 0 |
| Jacob Meredith | 13: 1: 6 | William Smith | 9: 0: 0 | John Moore | 9: 0: 0 |
| James Jordan | 8:14: 0 | Robert Kennedy | 8:14: 0 | William Flannagan | 9: 0: 0 |
| Joshua Cummings | 8:17: 6 | William Harniss | 9: 0: 0 | Daniel Terry | 8:16: 6 |
| John Glaken | 9: 0: 0 | Abraham Vandegrift | 5: 3: 4 | Peter Crusen | 5: 3: 4 |
| Archibald Finney | 9: 0: 0 | George Phipps | 9: 0: 0 | James Buckson | 6: 1: 8 |
| Nathaniel Williams | 9: 0: 0 | David Griffith's Adm. | 9: 0: 0 | Peter Bloom | 9: 0: 0 |
| John McDonough | 8:11: 6 | Joshua Giles fifer | 9:14: 6 | Archibald Fleming | 13: 6: 6 |

CORNELIUS ROBINSON TO DELAWARE STATE DR.

For expenses when sent by Gen. Dagworthy to Congress in Aug. 1777, at the house of John Clowes Esq. and horse hire charged by said Clowes to this State, altho' it appears from the Journals of Congress August 5th. 1777, that the said Robinson received payment from the United States of 34.30 ..... 2: 4: 6

Oct. 27th. 1787

DELAWARE REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying interest on Certificates of Depreciation, Viz.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| D. P. Cox | No. 155, 156 | 27:12: 0 | Robert Pierce | No. 517 | 21:11: 6 |
| James Delaplain | 515 | 21: 6: 5 | Eliza Murphy | 373, 374 | 16: 7: 4 |

PAY OF COLO. NEILL'S REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying the following officers & soldiers

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| William Lindsay | 7: 0: 0 | William Bassford | 13:10: 0 | James Lyle | 9:18: 0 |
| John Tate | 8:12: 6 | William Bellveal | 9: 0: 0 | John Hanson | 5: 3: 4 |
| James Garrettson | 8:12: 6 | Hugh McCracken Capt. | 46:16: 2 | Charles Houston | 9: 0: 0 |
| William Dycus | 8:15: 0 | Jacob White | 8:14: 0 | Isaac McKee | 12:17: 6 |

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June 7th. 1788

PAY OF COLO. NEILL'S REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| James Musgrove | 8:19: 0 | George Barnett | 8:14: 0 | John Tardy | 9: 0: 0 |
| Robert Taylor | 9: 0: 0 | James Magran | 9: 0: 0 | Absalom Harrington | 8:14: 0 |
| Jethro New | 8:19: 0 | Solomon Collins | 9: 0: 0 | George Baker | 9:18; 0 |
| John Cooper | 8:14: 0 | David Stewart | 8:14: 0 | Stephen Enos | 8:12: 0 |
| David Martin | 8:12: 6 | John O'Neal | 8:12: 6 | James Hall | 9: 0: 0 |
| Angus Martin | 9: 0: 0 | Charles Carty | 8:17: 6 | James McMullan | 8:12: 6 |
| Peter Jaquett Jun | 23:19: 0 | James Kinnear | 13: 2: 6 | | |

June 6th. 1789

PAY OF COLO. NEILL'S REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying Joshua Hart, private soldier in Capt. Wilson's Company ..... 8:12: 6

October 24th. 1789

DELAWARE REGIMENT TO TREASURY NOTES DR.

For paying Interest on Certificates of Depreciation

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Timothy Jackson | 34: 2: 0 | Isaac Draper | 9:19: 4 | Ann Townsend | 2: 0: 0 |
| Kensey Johns | 85:17: 2 | Thomas May Esq | 3: 0: 0 | Stephen Alston | 5: 7: 2 |
| William Brown | 5: 9: 1 | John Scotten Jun | 3:18: 1 | Charles McMonigle | 10: 9: 6 |
| G. Mitchell | 55: 1: 2 | William Hempill | 5: 9: 1 | John Bell Jun | 6: 0: 0 |
| Carson Wilson | 5: 6: 7 | Charles Cahoon | 3:12: 0 | John Lockwood | 3:18: 1 |
| Joseph Taylor | 2:10: 5 | James Brooms | 5: 7: 6 | John Ringold | 2: 9:10 |
| George McCall | 10: 8: 6 | James Bayard | 8: 3: 8 | William Virden | 5: 6: 7 |

Jany 21st 1790

DELAWARE REGIMENT TO TREASURY NOTES DR.

For paying Interest on Certificates of Depreciation

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Martinas Haughey | 13:19: 3 | Kensey Johns | 5: 9: 0 | P. Dickinson Esq | 79:11:10 |
| Rob. Shields | 26: 7: 0 | Starrett Gray | 6: 5:11 | H. Niles | 4:19: 7 |
| Robert Clark | 9:18: 3 | John Timmons | 4: 5: 3 | Isaac Wykoff | 17:12:11 |
| John Clayton | 4: 5: 3 | Andrew Kennedy | 5: 8: 9 | | |

November 22nd. 1790

DELAWARE REGIMENT TO TREASURY NOTES DR.

For paying Interest on Certificates of Depreciation, Viz.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Robert Jamison | 5:10: 2 | John Clayton Esq. | 3:13: 3 | Moses Barnett | 1:15: 0 |
| Smith Fassett | 8: 5: 6 | John Thompson | 16:15: 0 | Bancroft Woodcock | 20: 6: 3 |
| Thomas Calwell | 6: 0: 0 | Houston Laws | 3:18: 1 | Hugh Thompson | 23:17: 0 |
| Israel Israel | 19: 2: 8 | Kensey Johns | 56: 2: 9 | William Tharp | 6: 0: 0 |
| Joshua Laws | 3: 0: 0 | Hannah Vaughan | 47: 0: 4 | Spencer Williams | 3:18: 1 |
| John Liston | 2:14: 0 | Joseph Boggs | 12: 6: 9 | | |

November 22nd. 1790

SUNDRY ACCOUNTS TO STATE TREASURY DR.

Pay of Colo. Neill's Regiment for paying William Hutchinson and Thomas Greenwood, late soldiers ..... 18: 0: 0

January 24th. 1791

DELAWARE REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying H. Dougherty 2 years interest on Depreciation Certificate ..... 10: 3: 5

DELAWARE REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying Interest on Certificates of Depreciation, Viz.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| John Hazzard | 3: 0: 0 | Levin Poynter | 1:16: 0 | John Coombs 5 years | 6: 0: 8 |
| Hugh Dougherty | 5: 1: 8 | John Stuart | 1:15: 7 | | |

April 19th. 1791

PAY OF COLO. NEILL'S REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| John Chening | 6:11: 6 | Aydelot Salmon | 4:18: 4 | T. Wells | 7: 4: 0 |
| J. Wainright | 7: 4: 0 | Bersha Harrington | 8:17: 6 | Pharoh Hurley | 8:12: 6 |
| Joseph McDowell | 8:15: 6 | | | | |

June 7th. 1791

DELAWARE REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

For paying George Mitchell 2 years interest on 8 Depreciation Certificates ..... 10: 2: 4

February 3rd. 1792

DELAWARE REGIMENT TO STATE TREASURY DR.

Paying Hugh Thompson Interest on Certificates of Depreciation ..... 3:12: 0

## PENSIONS TAKEN FROM DELAWARE ARCHIVES PENSION BOOK

List of Invalid Pensioners belonging to the State of Delaware, with the monthly allowance to each, and the amount for Six months commencing the 5th of September 1791 and ending 4th of March 1792.

| No. | NAMES | | Monthly Allowance | | | | Allowances for 6 months | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | Do. | | Ct. | Do. | Ct. |
| 1 | Edward Armstrong | Lieutenant | " | 13 | | 33⅓ " | 80 | 00 |
| 2 | John Blaney | Private | " | 3 | | .. " | 18 | 00 |
| 3 | John Brown | ditto | " | 5 | | — " | 30 | .. |
| 4 | Richard Cogan | ditto | " | 2 | | — " | 12 | — |
| 5 | John Connor | ditto | " | 2 | | 50 " | 15 | — |
| 6 | John Clifton | ditto | " | 5 | | — " | 30 | — |
| 7 | Isaac Carvel | ditto | " | 5 | | — " | 30 | — |
| 8 | Charles Dowd | Corporal | " | 5 | | — " | 30 | — |
| 9 | Jenkin Evans | Sargeant | " | 5 | | — " | 30 | — |
| 10 | Joseph Ferguson | Private | " | 5 | | — " | 30 | — |
| 11 | George Griffin | ditto | " | 2 | | 22⅓ " | 16 | — |
| 12 | Kinley Hazlet | ditto | " | 5 | | — " | 30 | — |
| 13 | Thomas Holdston | ditto | " | 5 | | — " | 30 | — |
| 14 | Timothy Layfield | ditto | " | 3 | | — " | 18 | — |
| 15 | Joseph McGibbon | ditto | " | 5 | | — " | 30 | — |
| 16 | William McKennan | Captain | " | 20 | | — " | 120 | — |
| 17 | Thoma McGuire | Sargeant | " | 5 | | — " | 30 | — |
| 18 | James Murphy | ditto | " | 5 | | — " | 30 | — |
| 19 | Archibald McBride | ditto | " | 5 | | — " | 30 | — |
| 20 | John McKnight | Private | " | 3 | | — " | 18 | — |
| 21 | John McGill | ditto | " | 2 | | 50 " | 15 | — |
| 22 | John Pemberton | ditto | " | 5 | | .. " | 30 | .. |
| 23 | John Petterjon | ditto | " | 5 | | .. " | 30 | .. |
| *34 | Levy Pointer | ditto | " | .. | | .. " | 30 | .. |
| 25 | William Redden | Sargeant | " | 5 | | .. " | 30 | .. |
| 26 | William Smith | Private | " | 5 | | .. " | 30 | .. |
| 27 | Joseph Sapp | ditto | " | 5 | | .. " | 30 | .. |
| 28 | John Skelton | ditto | " | 3 | | .. " | 18 | .. |
| 29 | George Stewart | ditto | " | 2 | | .. " | 12 | — |
| 30 | Thomas Shriven | ditto | " | 5 | | .. " | 30 | .. |
| 31 | Richard Treasure | ditto | " | " | | .. " | 30 | .. |
| 32 | Thomas Wells | Sargeant | " | 5 | | .. " | 30 | .. |
| 33 | John Whittington | Private | " | 2 | | .. " | 12 | .. |
| 34 | Hoper Wilson | ditto | " | 2 | | .. " | 12 | .. |
| 35 | Thomas Watson | Sargeant | " | 5 | | .. " | 30 | .. |
| | | | | | | Dollars | 996 | .. |

*Levy Pointer is returned without specifying monthly allowance.

John Cochlin came before me the Subscriber, one of Justice of Peace in & for the County of New Castle, in the State of Delaware, and made oath, that he is the same John Cochlin as mentioned in the pension list; authorizing the paying of pensions to the Invalids of Delaware to the 1790.That he was disabled in the Service of the United States, and entitled to the Sum of four dollars P. month, and that he now resides in the City of Philada.

Sworn the 5th day of September one thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety Six—Before

JNO. LEA

Wilmington September 5th 1796.

Received of John Stockton Agent for paying the Invalids of Delaware twenty four Dollar, in full of his pension from the 5th March 1796 to the 5th September 1796, inclusive.

—
Dols 24
—

His
JNO. X COCHLIN
Mark

Navy Department.
July 17, 1818.

Sir,

The following list contains all the names of Pensioners in the State of Delaware.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Richard Gilbody | $24, | semiannually |
| William Wicks | $24, | " |
| James Tull | $30, | " |

You will be pleased to pay them upon the presentation of their Pension Warrants, under seal of this Department, and signed by the Secretary of the Navy, occompanied with the oaths and certificates therein referred to.

I am, respectfully Sir,
Your ob. servant.
By order of the Secretary of the Navy
BENJAMIN HOMANS.

J. H. Black, Esq.
President Branch Bank of
State of Delaware.
New Castle.

A List of Invalid Pensioners belonging to the State of Delaware with the monthly allowance to each, and the amount for six months, from the 4th day of March to the 5th day of September 1802, inclusive.

| No. | NAMES | Rank | Monthly allowance | | Amount for Six Months | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dols. | Cents. | Dols. | Cents. |
| 1. | Edward Armstrong | Lieut. | 13 | 33⅓ | 80 | " pd. |
| 2. | Daniel Boyles | Private | 3 | 33⅓ | 20 | " |
| 3. | Samuel Burchard | Corporal | 5 | " | 30 | " pd. |
| 4. | John Clifton | Private | 5 | " | 30 | " |
| 5. | Isaac Carrell | do | 5 | " | 30 | " |
| 6. | John Conner | do | 2 | 50 | 15 | " pd. |
| 7. | Peter Cunningham | do | 3 | 33⅓ | 20 | " |
| 8. | Jenkin Evans | Sergeant | 5 | " | 30 | " |
| 9. | Joseph Ferguson | Private | 5 | " | 30 | " pd. |
| 10. | George Griffin | do | 2 | 66⅔ | 16 | paid |
| 11. | John Gorman | do | 5 | " | 30 | " |
| 12. | Kinley Hazlet | do | 5 | " | 30 | " |
| 13. | Thomas Holdston | do | 5 | " | 30 | " |
| 14. | Nelce Jones | Corporal | 2 | 50 | 15 | " pd. |
| 15. | John Quellin | Private | 2 | 50 | 15 | " |
| 16. | James Murphey | Sergeant | 5 | " | 30 | " pd. |
| 17. | Joseph McGibbon | Private | 5 | " | 30 | " |
| 18. | Levin Pointer | do | 5 | " | 30 | " pd. |
| 19. | William Smith | do | 5 | " | 30 | " pd. |
| 20. | Thomas Skirvin | do | 5 | " | 30 | " |
| 21. | John Skilton | do | 3 | " | 18 | " |
| 22. | Thomas Wells | Sergeant | 5 | " | 30 | " pd. |
| 23. | Thomas Watson | do | 5 | " | 30 | " pd. |
| 24. | Hosea Wilson | Private | 2 | " | 12 | " |
| | | | | Total.. | $661 | " |
| | Deduct. Daniel Boyles (dead) | | | | 20 | " |
| | | | | | $641 | " |

List of Pensioners paid by Agency at New Castle, State of Delaware, whose residence cannot be ascertained, in consequence of the destruction of the papers of the War Office in 1801 & 1814.

See Senate Document No. 514-23rd Congress—1st Session.
Delaware Folio 4 & 5.

| Name | Rank | Sums Rec. | Service | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boughman Paul | Sergt. | 327.30 | Revolutionary Army | |
| Boyles Daniel | Pr. | 20.11 | Do. | |
| Brown John | Pr. | 330.17 | Do. | |
| Burchard Samuel | Corp. | 732.15 | Do. | |
| Cogan Richard | Pr. | 60.07 | Do. | |
| Conner John | Pr. | 478.75 | Do. | Died Feb. 18th, 1805 |
| Clifton John | Pr. | 370.17 | Do. | |
| Carrell, Isaac | Pr. | 390.17 | Do. | |
| Cunningham Peter | Pr. | 20.11 | Do. | |
| Dunn Patrick | Sergt. | | Do. | |
| Evans Jenkins | Do. | 1546.12 | Do. | |
| Ferguson Joseph | Pr. | 1440.17 | Do. | |
| Fabricus John Christian | Pr. | 520.66 | Do. | |
| Griffin George | Pr. | 700.31 | Do. | |
| Gorman John | Pr. | 480.17 | Do. | Died June 1812 |
| Leary Dennis | Pr. | 90.17 | Do. | |
| Layfield Timothy | Pr. | 414.10 | Do. | |
| Luellin John | Pr. | 105.08 | Do. | Died Apr. 1809 |
| McKennon Wm | Capt. | | Do. | |
| McGuire, Thomas | Sergt. | 330.17 | Do. | |
| Murphy James | Do. | 1470.17 | Do. | |
| McGill John | Pr. | 210.08 | Do. | |
| McKnight John | Pr. $32 | | Do. | |
| Pemberton John | Pr. $20 | | Do. | |
| Pollard, Andrew | Pr. $20 | | Do. | |
| Peterson John | Pr. | 720.17 | Do. | |
| Pointer Levin | Pr. | 1050.17 | Do. | |
| Redden William | Sergt. | 95.33 | Do. | Died Oct 5th 1790 |
| Sapp Joseph | Pr. | 360.17 | Do. | |
| Stewart George | Pr. | 216.07 | Do. | |
| Skirven Thomas | Pr. | 1183.96 | Do. | Died Nov 37th 1808 |
| Smith William | Pr. | 240.17 | Do. | Died Oct 12th 1804 |
| Wells Thomas | Sergt. | 927.97 | Do. | Died Aug 21st 1804 |
| Whittington John | Pr. | 72.07 | Do. | |
| Wilson Hosea | Pr. | 232.59 | Do. | Died Nov 12th 1798 |

List of Invalid and Revolutionary Pensioners of the United States, belonging in the State of Delaware whose names have been inscribed on the Pension Role since the 4th of September 1918, and who are to receive the arrearages due to them, at the Farmers Bank oat New Castle:—

| No. | Names | Rank | Monthly allow-ance | From what time | To what time | Amount of Arrear-age | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | 1818 | 1819 | | |
| 1 | Partick Connley..... | Private | 8 .. | March 27 | March 4 | 90 | 31 |
| 2 | Isaac Dewees..... | Mariner | 8 .. | " 30 | " " | 89 | 52 |
| 3 | John Jackson..... | Musician | 8 .. | 27 | " " | 90 | 31 |
| | | | | 1814 | | | |
| 4 | Elijah Linch..... | Private | 8 .. | March 31 | " 4 | 473 | 41 |
| 5 | Richard Mowlan..... | do | 8 .. | April 6 | " " | 87 | 68 |
| 6 | Stayton Morris..... | do | 8 .. | " 14 | " " | 85 | 58 |
| 7 | Benjamin McLane..... | Ensign | 20 .. | " 10 | " " | 216 | 53 |
| 8 | Peter Persley..... | Private | 8 .. | " 14 | " " | 85 | 58 |
| | Half pay Pensioner | | | | | 1218 | 92 |
| | | | | 1815 | | | |
| 9 | Catherine Campbell..... | Private | 4 .. | Feb. 17 | " " | 194 | 45 |
| | | | | | | 1413 | 37 |

Statement showing widows and orphans who are inscribed on the books of the office of New Castle, as half pay pensioners, for 5 years.

See Senate Document No. 170–15th Congress–1st Session,

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| No. 376 | Humphries, Robert, Pr. | Widow | Commencing | March 13th, 1813 |
| 377 | Hurley, John " | " | " | March 22d, 1814 |
| 378 | Nash, Nathaniel S, Sergt | " | " | March 15th, 1814 |
| 379 | Stevens, Charles | " | " | May 29th,—— |

List of Invalids and Revolutionary Military Pensioners of the United States, belonging to the State of Delaware, who are to receive their Semi-annual allowances from the 4th of September 1818 till the 4th of March 1819 at the F. Bank at New Castle.

| No. | Names of Pensioners. | Rank | Monthly Pay | | Semi annual allowances | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Edward Armstrong | Lieutenant | 15 | 11 | 90 | 66 |
| 2 | Samuel Burchard | Corporal | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| 3 | Caleb P. Bennett | Lieutenant | 20 | " | 120 | .. |
| 4 | John Clifton | Private | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| 5 | Isaac Carrell | do | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| 6 | Peter Cunningham | do | 5 | 33⅓ | 32 | .. |
| 7 | Patrick Coleman | do | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| 8 | Isaac Carroll | do | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| 9 | Jacob Creamer | do | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| 10 | John Corse | Captain | 20 | " | 120 | .. |
| 11 | William Dolby | Sergeant | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| 12 | Stephen Enos | do | 4 | " | 24 | .. |
| 13 | Joseph Ferguson | Private | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| 14 | Thomas Holston | do | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| 15 | Edward Harmon | do | 8 | | 48 | .. |
| 16 | Nelce Jones | Corporal | 4 | " | 24 | .. |
| 17 | David Kirkpatrick | Capt. Lieut. | 20 | " | 120 | .. |
| 18 | Thomas D. Lewis | Private | 5 | 33⅓ | 32 | .. |
| 19 | Joseph McGibbon (Died July 27, 1818) | do | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| 20 | John Marks | do | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| 21 | John Robinson | Corporal | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| 22 | Edward Roche | Lieutenant | 20 | " | 120 | .. |
| 23 | John Shelton | Private | 4 | 80 | 28 | 80 |
| 24 | James Tilton | Phys. & Surg. & Gen. | 30 | " | 180 | .. |
| 25 | Thomas Wattson | Sergeant | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| 26 | Jesse Wattson | Private | 4 | " | 24 | .. |
| 27 | Hosea Wilson | do | 3 | 20 | 19 | 20 |
| 28 | John W. Wilcox | do | 8 | " | 48 | .. |
| | | | | | 1654 | 66 |
| | Half pay Pensioners | | | | | |
| 29 | John Dixon, Guardn. of W. Robinson Heirs | do | 4 | .. | 24 | .. |
| 30 | Rebecca Comegys Guardn. of I. Comegys Heir | do | 4 | .. | 24 | .. |
| | | | | | 1702 | 66 |

Statement of amount of Pension due to those Revolutionary Pensioners who have been placed on the Roll of this Agency, subsequent to the 4th of September 1819—calculated to a Table transmitted to this office from the Pension Office, War Department.

| No. | NAME OF PENSIONERS | Rank | Rate | From what time | To what time | Period | Amount of Pension | | Amt. of Pension, Scaled. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3 | Jacob Allen | Private | 8 " | April 10, 1818 | March 4, 1820 | 22" | 182 | 63 | 182 | 47 |
| 11 | William Dawson | " | " " | " " " | " " " | 22" | 182 | 63 | 182 | 47 |
| 13 | John Eastwick | " | " " | June 6, " | " " " | 20" | 167 | 69 | 167 | 55 |
| 14 | Aaron Easor | " | " " | Nov. 15, 1819 | " " " | 22" | 29 | 29 | 29 | 27 |
| 15 | Francis Freeman | " | " " | July, 1, 1818 | " " " | 20" | 161 | 03 | 160 | 89 |
| 16 | James Fritzgerald | " | " " | April 7, " | " " " | 22" | 183 | 43 | 183 | 27 |
| 19 | Elijah Griffith | " | " " | June 24, " | " " " | 20" | 162 | 89 | 162 | 75 |
| 20 | John Hayes Green | " | " " | May 18, " | " " " | 21" | 172 | 64 | 172 | 50 |
| 21 | John L. Handy | " | " " | July 7, " | " " " | 19" | 159 | 48 | 159 | 35 |
| 24 | Nelce Jones | " | " " | April 9 " | " " " | 22" | 182 | 89 | 182 | 73 |
| 26 | John Lahey | " | " " | July 15, 1819 | " " " | 7" | 61 | 41 | 61 | 36 |
| 31 | John McKinley | Marine | " " | Aug. 25, " | " " " | 6" | 50 | 83 | 50 | 79 |
| 36 | Levi Powell | Private | " " | May 5, " | " " " | 21" | 175 | 99 | 175 | 84 |
| 39 | Zachariah Rossell | " | " " | June 4, " | " " " | 20" | 168 | 23 | 168 | 10 |
| | | | | | | | 2041 | 00 | 2039 | 34 |
| | | | | | | | 2039 | 34 | | |
| | | | | | | Difference. | 1 | 72 | | |

Amount due to Revolutionary Pensioners placed on the Roll since September 4th, 1819.
Amount due to Ditto as Per Letter from Secretary of War of Feby. 26, 1820.

## NAMES OF THE PENSIONERS UNDER THE LAW OF THE 8TH MARCH 1818.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| William Ake | Private | $8 per mo comg | 1 May 1818 |
| Bartholomew Adams | — " — | 8 — " — | 20 Apr " |
| Henry Boyd | — " — | 8 — " — | 1 Apr 1818 |
| Whitinton Clifton | — " — | 8 — " — | 29 April 1818 |
| James Davis | — " — | 8 — " — | 20 Octr 1818. |
| Frazier Gray | — " — | 8 — " — | 24 April 1818. |
| John Gibbons | — " — | 8 — " — | 7 Augt 1818 . |
| John Hannah | — " — | 8 — " — | 29 April 1818. |
| Nehimiah Lingrell | — " — | 8 — " — | 8 May 1818. |
| Mitchell Lecatt | — " — | 8 — " — | 24 June 1818. |
| Arthur Mason | — " — | 8 — " — | 31 March 1818. |
| Josh Polk | Corporal | 8 — " — | 21 May 1818. |
| William Saunders | Corpl | 8 — " — | 24 April 1818 |
| John Toomey | Private | 8 — " — | 25 April 1818 |

## NAME OF THE INVALID PENSIONER, WHOSE PENSION HAS BEEN INCREASED UNDER THE LAW OF 18TH MAR. '18

John Shelton private — $4 pr. mo.
increased 8 pr. mo. } to commence 16th June 1818.

Name of the person who has been placed on the roll as an Invalid Pensioner Vis David Hall private $8 pr. Mo. comg 14th Mar. 1815.

In the months of June and December in each year, you will report all deaths, or removals which may take place, within your agency and which shall have come to your knowledge.

I am respectfully,
Your Obed. Servt.

I. C. CALBOUN.

List of Invalid Pensioners of the United States belonging to the State of Delaware who are to receive their semi-annual allowances from the 4th of March 1820 to the 4th of September 1820 at the F. Bank at New Castle.

| No. | Names | Rank | Monthly allowance | | From what time | To what time | Amount Arrearage | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | 1819 | 1819 | | |
| 1 | Edward Armstrong..... | Lieutenant | 15 | 11 | March 4 | Septemb 4 | 90 | 66 |
| 2 | Samuel Burchard..... | Corporal | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 3 | John Clifton..... | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 4 | Isaac Carroll..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 5 | Patrick Coleman..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 6 | Peter Cunningham..... | do | 5 | 33⅓ | " | " | 32 | .. |
| 8 | William Dolby (1819 Dec. 3) (Transferred to May P.) | Sergeant | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 9 | Stephen Enos..... | do | 4 | .. | " | " | 24 | .. |
| 10 | Joseph Ferguson..... | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 11 | Thomas Holston..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 12 | Nelce Jones..... | Corporal | 4 | .. | " | " | 24 | .. |
| 13 | Thomas D. Lewis..... | Private | 5 | 33⅓ | " | " | 32 | .. |
| 14 | Elijah Linch..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 15 | John Robinson..... | Corporal | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 16 | James Tilton..... | Phys. & Surg Gen. | 30 | .. | " | " | 180 | .. |
| 17 | Thomas Wattson..... | Sergeant | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 18 | Hosea Wilson..... | Private | 3 | 20 | " | " | 19 | 20 |
| 19 | Jesse Wattson..... | do | 4 | .. | " | " | 24 | .. |
| 20 | John W. Wilcox..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| | | | | | | | 1001 | 86 |
| | Placed on the Pension Roll since March 4, 1819 vize. | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1819 | 1819 | | |
| 21 | David Hall..... | Private | 8 | .. | March 14 | Sept. 4 | 429 | 67 |
| | | | | | | | 1431 | 53 |

The following is a list of the Revolutionary pensioners whose names have been striken from the rolls agreeably to the Act of the 1st. of May 1820.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Caleb P. Bennett | Lieut. | $20 pr. mo. |
| Jacob Creamer | Priv. | $8 pr. mo. |
| David Kirkpatrick | Capt & Lt. | $20 pr. mo. |
| John Marks | Priv. | $8 pr. mo. |
| Edward Roche | Lieut. | $20 pr. mo. |
| Zacharia Rossell | Priv. | $8 pr. mo. |

List of Revolutionary Pensioners of the United States belonging to the State of Delaware who are to receive their Semi-annual allowances from the 4th of March 1819 to the 4th of September 1819, at the Farmer's Bank at New Castle.

| No. | Names | Rank | Monthly allowance | | From what time | To what time | Amount Arrearage | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | 1819 | 1819 | | |
| 1 | Caleb P. Bennett | Lieutenant | 20 | .. | March 4 | Septemb 4 | 120 | .. |
| 2 | Patrick Connelly | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 3 | Jacob Creamer | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 4 | John Corse | Captain | 20 | .. | " | " | 120 | .. |
| 5 | Iasac Dewees | Mariner | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 6 | Edward Harman | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 7 | David Kirkpatrick | Capt. Lieut | 20 | .. | " | " | 120 | .. |
| 8 | John Marks | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 9 | Richard Mowlan | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 10 | Stayton Morris | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 11 | Benjamin McLane | Ensign | 20 | .. | " | " | 120 | .. |
| 12 | Peter Pusley | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 13 | Edward Roche | Lieutenant | 20 | .. | " | " | 120 | .. |
| | | | | | | | 984 | .. |
| | Placed on the Pension Roll since March 4, 1819 vize. | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1818 | 1819 | | |
| 14 | William Ake | Private | 8 | .. | May 1 | Septemb 4 | 128 | 94 |
| 15 | Bartholomew Adams | " | 8 | .. | April 20 | " | 131 | 87 |
| 16 | Henry Boyd | " | 8 | .. | " 1 | " | 136 | 95 |
| 17 | Whitinton Clifton | " | 8 | .. | " 29 | " | 129 | 47 |
| 18 | James Davis | " | 8 | .. | Octob 20 | " | 84 | 09 |
| 19 | Frazier Gray | " | 8 | .. | April 24 | " | 130 | 81 |
| 20 | James Gibbons (Died Dec. 16, 1818) | " | 8 | .. | Aug 17 | " 34.57 | 103 | 58 |
| 21 | John Hannah | " | 8 | .. | April 29 | " | 129 | 47 |
| 22 | Nehemiah Lingrell | " | 8 | .. | May 8 | " | 127 | 34 |
| 23 | Mitchell Lecatt | " | 8 | .. | June 24 | " | 114 | 80 |
| 24 | Arthur Mason | " | 8 | .. | March 31 | " | 137 | 22 |
| 25 | Joab Polk | Corporal | 8 | .. | May 26 | " | 122 | 54 |
| 26 | William Saunders | " | 8 | .. | April 24 | " | 130 | 82 |
| 27 | John Toomey | Private | 8 | .. | " 25 | " | 130 | 54 |
| | Name of an Invalid Pensioner whose pension has been increased (from $4.80) under the Act of March 18, 1818 vize. | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1818 | 1819 | | |
| 28 | John Shelton | Private | 8 | .. | June 16 | Septem 4 | 75 | 61 |
| | | | | | | | 2798 | 05 |

War Department, February 26th, 1820.

The President of the Farmer's Bank at New Castle,
agent for paying U. S. pensioners of the State of Delaware.

Sir,

You will please to pay those Invalid and revolutionary pensioners of the United States, who were placed on the roll of your agency, prior to the 4th of September, 1819, the semi-annual allowances due to them on the 4th of March, 1820, the former amounting to nine hundred and fifty three dollars, 86 2-3 cents, and the latter to one thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars, and to the following named revolutionary pensioners, who have been placed on your roll subsequent to the 4th of September, 1819, the arrears and semi-annual allowances at the rates, and from the commencement set opposite their names respectively, to the 4th of March, 1820, amounting to Two thousand and thirty nine Dollars and thirty four cents.

Funds to meet these payments, amounting to $4753 20 3-2, will be ordered to your credit from the Treasury Department.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jacob Allen | prive | $8 p mo. | comg | 10 April, 1818. |
| William Dawson | do | 8 - — | — | 10 April, 1818. |
| John Eastwick | do | 6 - — | — | 6 June, 1818. |
| Aaron Easor | do | 8 - — | — | 15 Nov. 1819. |
| Francis Freeman | do | 8 - — | — | 1 July, 1818. |
| James Fitzgerald | do | 8 - — | — | 7 April, 1818. |
| Elijah Griffith | do | 8 - — | — | 24 June, 1818. |
| John Hayes Green | do | 8 - — | — | 18 May, 1818. |
| John L. Handy | do | 8 - — | — | 7 July, 1818. |
| Neals Jones | do | 8 - — | — | 9 April, 1818. |
| John Lahey | do | 8 - — | — | 15 July, 1819. |
| John McKinney | marine | 8 - — | — | 25 Augt. 1819. |
| Levi Powell | prive | 8 - — | — | 5 May, 1818. |
| Zachariah Rossell | do | 8 - — | — | 4 June, 1818. |

Name of a Revolutionary pensioner belonging to this agency, who has been reported to be dead. since the 4th of September, 1819.

Arthur Mason, private, died on or about the 26th of November 1819.....
vide report of the agent &c., December 29, 1819.

Names of Revolutionary Pensioners of Delaware Line, which have been placed on the Rolls of other States, under the law of the 18th March 1818, from the passage thereof of Jany 20th 1820—See Executive Document No. 55—16th Congress—1st Session.

| Rolls of | Names | Rank | Line | Folio |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Vermont | Williams, Joseph | Pr. | Delaware | 337 |
| New York | Reed, Frederick | Pr. | Do | 437 |
| New Jersey | Agens, Jacob | Pr. | Do | 473 |
| | Cullen, John | Pr. | Do | 477 |
| | Dempsey, Richard | Pr. | Do | 478 |
| | Little, Nathaniel | Pr. | Do | 483 |
| | Whaley, Edward | Pr. | Do | 493 |
| Pennsylvania | Anderson, Enoch | Capt. | Do | 494 |
| | Anderson, Thomas | Lieut. | Do | 494 |
| | Bennett, Benjamin | Pr. | Do | 498 |
| | Clark John | Capt. | Do | 501 |
| | Dempsey, Dennis | Pr. | Do | 503 |
| | Gray, James | Pr. | Do | 508 |
| | Hennen Thomas | Pr. | Do | 510 |
| | Hennon, Abel | Pr. | Do | 510 |
| | King, Alexander | Sergt. | Do | 514 |
| | Rose, Isaac | Pr. | Do | 526 |
| | Steel, John | Pr. | Do | 530 |
| Maryland | Maxwell, William | Pr. | Do | 547 |
| | Massey, Jesse | Pr. | Do | 548 |
| | Poulson, John | Pr. | Do | 549 |
| | Parsons, Daniel | Pr. | Do | 549 |
| Virginia | Burrows, Ezekiel | Pr. | Do | 555 |
| | Husbands, James | Pr. | Do | 567 |
| | Morris, Zadock | Pr. | Do | 571 |
| | Oliver, Samuel | Pr. | Do | 573 |
| | Smith, James | Pr. | Do | 577 |
| S. Carolina | Hastings ,Robt | Pr. | Do | 594 |
| Kentucky | Brown, John | Pr. | Do | 601 |
| | Downs, Robert | Pr. | Do | 604 |
| | Williams, Thomas | Pr. | Do | 618 |
| | Whittington, John | Pr. | Do | 618 |
| W. Tennessee | Caulk, Jacob | Pr. | Do | 625 |
| Ohio | Glover, William | Pr. | Do | 638 |
| | Hamilton, Charles | Corp. | Do | 643 |
| | Mason, Thomas | Pr. | Do | 643 |
| | Manlove, William | Pr. | Do | 644 |
| | Smith, William, 2nd | Pr. | Do | 650 |
| | Smith, William, 3rd | Pr. | Do | 650 |
| | Turner, John | Pr. | Do | 651 |
| | Timmons, Robert | Pr. | Do | 652 |
| Indiana | Flyn, Thomas | Pr. | Do | 657 |
| D. of Columbia | Brown, Robert | Pr. | Do | 665 |

List of Revolutionary Pensioners of the United States, belonging to the State of Delaware who are to receive their Semi-annual allowances and arrearages up to the 4th of March 1820 at the Farmer's Bank at New Castle.

| No. | Names | Rank | Monthly allow-ance | | From what time | To what time | Amount Arrear-age | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Bartholomew Adams..... | Private | 8 | .. | 1819 Septemb 4 | 1819 March 4 | 48 | .. |
| 2 | William Ake..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 3 | Jacob Allen..... | do | 8 | .. | 1918 April 10 | " | 182 | 47 |
| 4 | Caleb P. Bennett..... | Lieutenant | 20 | .. | 1819 Septemb 4 | " | 120 | .. |
| 5 | Henry Boyd..... | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 6 | Whittington Clifton..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 7 | Patrick Connelly..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 8 | John Corse..... | Captain | 20 | .. | " | " | 120 | .. |
| 9 | Jacob Creamer..... | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 10 | James Davis..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 11 | William Dawson..... | do | 8 | .. | 1818 April 10 | " | 182 | 47 |
| 12 | Isaac Dewees..... | Mariner | 8 | .. | 1819 Septemb 4 | " | 48 | .. |
| 13 | John Estwick..... | Private | 8 | .. | 1818 June 6 | " | 167 | 66 |
| 14 | Aaron Easor..... | do | 8 | .. | 1819 Novem 15 | " | 29 | 27 |
| 15 | Francis Freeman..... | do | 8 | .. | 1818 July 1 | " | 160 | 89 |
| 16 | James Fitzgerald..... | do | 8 | .. | 1818 April 7 | " | 183 | 27 |
| 17 | John Gibbons..... (Died December 16 1818) | do | 8 | .. | Septem 4 | " | 48 | .. |
| 18 | Frazier Gray..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 19 | Elijah Griffiith..... (Died Jan. 17, 1820) | do | 8 | .. | 1818 June 24 | 1820 Jany 17 | 150 | 12 |
| 20 | John Hayes Green..... | do | 8 | .. | 1818 May 18 | March 4 | 172 | 50 |
| 21 | John L. Handy..... | do | 8 | .. | 1818 July 7 | " | 159 | 35 |
| 22 | John Hanna..... | do | 8 | .. | 1819 Septemb 4 | " | 48 | .. |
| 23 | Edward Harman..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 24 | Nelce Jones..... | do | 8 | .. | April 9 | " | 115 | 30 |
| 25 | David Kirkpatrick..... | Capt. & Lieut | 20 | .. | 1819 Septemb 4 | " | 120 | .. |

| No. | Names | Rank | Monthly allowance | | From what time | To what time | Amount Arrearage | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 26 | John Lahey | Private | 8 | .. | July 15 | " | 61 | 36 |
| 27 | Mitchell Lecatt | do | 8 | .. | Septemb 4 | " | 48 | .. |
| 28 | Nehemiah Lingrell | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 29 | John Marks | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 30 | Arthur Mason | do | 8 | .. | " | 1819 Nobemb 26 | 22 | 13 |
| 31 | John McKinley | Mariner | 8 | .. | 1819 Aug 25 | 1820 March 4 | 50 | 79 |
| 32 | Benjamin McLane | Ensign | 20 | .. | Septemb 4 | " | 120 | .. |
| 33 | Stayton Morris | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 34 | Richard Mowlan | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 35 | Joab Polk | Corporal | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 36 | Levi Powell | Private | 8 | .. | 1818 May 5 | " | 175 | 84 |
| 37 | Peter Pusley | do | 8 | .. | 1819 Septemb 4 | " | 48 | .. |
| 38 | Edward Roche | Lieutenant | 20 | .. | " | " | 120 | .. |
| 39 | Zachariah Rossell | Private | 8 | .. | 1818 June 4 | " | 168 | 10 |
| 40 | William Saunders | Corporal | 8 | .. | 1819 Septemb 4 | " | 48 | .. |
| 41 | John Shelton | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 42 | John Toomey | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |

The following is a list of such Revolutionary pensioners as have exhibited Schedules of their property in conformity with the Act of the 1st May, 1820, and have been continued on the roll of our agency.

The usual lists made out and transmitted semi-annually are now transmitted without any variation as to form: but it will be observed, that none of the revolutionary pensioners are to be paid beyond the 4th of March 1820, except those who have exhibited Schedules of their property, and whose names are inserted in this List.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Henry Boyd | Priv; | $8 pr. mo. |
| John Hanna | Pr. | $8 pr. mo. |
| William Saunders | Corpl | $8 pr. mo. |

List of Invalid Pensioners of the United States belonging to the State of Delaware who are to receive their Semi-annual allowances from the 4th of March, 1820 to the 4th of September, 1820 at the F. Bank at New Castle.

| No. | Names of Pensioners | Rank | Monthly allowance | | From what time | To what time | Amount of Pension | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | 1820 | 1820 | | |
| 1 | Edward Armstrong | Lieutenant | 15 | 11 | March 4 | Septr 4 | 90 | 66 |
| 2 | Samuel Burchard | Corporal | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 3 | John Clifton | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 4 | Isaac Carroll | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 5 | Patrick Coleman | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 6 | Peter Cunningham | do | 5 | 33⅓ | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 7 | Isaac Carroll | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 8 | Stephen Enos | Sergeant | 4 | .. | " | " | 24 | .. |
| 9 | Joseph Ferguson | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 10 | David Hall | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 11 | Thomas Holston | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 12 | Elijah Linch | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 13 | John Robinson | Corporal | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 14 | James Tilton | Phys. & Surg Gen | 30 | .. | " | " | 180 | .. |
| 15 | Thomas Wattson | Sergeant | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 16 | Hosea Wilson | Private | 3 | 20 | " | " | 19 | 20 |
| 17 | Jesse Wattson | do | 4 | .. | " | " | 24 | .. |
| 18 | John W. Wilcox | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 19 | John Shelton (Restored) | do | 4 | 80 | " | " | 28 | 89 |

List of Half pay Pensioners of the United States belonging to the State of Delaware, who are to receive the allowances due them up to September 4, 1820, from the Branch of the Farmer's Bank of the State of Delaware at New Castle.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | 1820 | 1820 | | |
| 1 | Deborah Taylor, Guardian of the Heirs of John Taylor | Private | 4 | .. | April 20 | Sept 4 | 17 | 98 |

List of Invalid Pensioners of the United States, belonging to the State of Delaware, who are to receive their Semi-annual allowances from the 4th of September 1819 to the 4th of March 1820, at the F. Bank at New Castle.

| No. | Names | Rank | Monthly allowance | | From what time | To what time | Amount Arrearage | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | 1819 | 1820 | | |
| 1 | Edward Armstrong | Lieutenant | 15 | 11 | Septemb 4 | March 4 | 90 | 66 |
| 2 | Samuel Burchard | Corporal | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 3 | John Clifton | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 4 | Isaac Carrell | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 5 | Patrick Coleman | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 6 | Peter Cunningham | do | 5 | 33⅓ | " | " | 32 | .. |
| 7 | Issac Carroll | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 8 | Stephen Enos | Sergeant | 4 | .. | " | " | 24 | .. |
| 9 | Joseph Ferguson | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 10 | David Hall | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 11 | Thomas Holston | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 12 | Thomas D. Lewis | do | 5 | 33⅓ | " | " | 32 | .. |
| 13 | Elijah Linch | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 14 | John Robinson | Corporal | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 15 | James Tilton | Phy. & Surg Gen. | 30 | .. | " | " | 180 | .. |
| 16 | Thomas Wattson | Sergeant | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 17 | Hosea Wilson | Private | 3 | 20 | " | " | 19 | 20 |
| 18 | Jesse Wattson | do | 4 | .. | " | " | 24 | .. |
| 19 | John W. Wilcox | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| | | | | | | | 977 | 86 |

Names of persons who have been inscribed on the roll of this Agency as Revolutionary Pensioners since the 4 Sept. 1820.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Major Hitchens | private — | $8 p mo. comg | 24 June 1818. |
| Archibald Morton | do | $8 " " " | 19 May 1818. |

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Names of Revolutionary Pensioners who have been reported to be dead since the 4 Sept. 1820.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| James Fitzgerald | private — | $8 p mo. died | Novr 1820. |
| Neals Jones | do | $8 " " " | March 1820. |

List of Revolutionary Pensioners of the United States, belonging to the State of Delaware, who are to receive their Semi-annual allowances from the 4th of March, 1820 to the 4th of September, 1820:—and also of those Revolutionary Pensioners who have been placed on the Roll subsequent to the 4th of March, 1820, who are to receive the arreages due them up to the said 4th day of March, one thousand eight hundred and twenty.

| No. | Names of Pensioners | Rank | Monthly allow-ance | | From what time | To what time | Amount of Pension | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | 1820 | 1820 | | |
| 1 | Henry Boyd..... | Private..... | 8 | .. | March 4 | Septr 4 | 48 | .. |
| 2 | John Hanna..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 3 | William Saunders..... | Corporal | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| | | | | | | | 144 | .. |
| | | | | | 1818 | 1820 | | |
| 4 | Jesse Royall..... | Private | 8 | .. | April 4 | March 4 | 184 | 25 |
| | | | | | 1819 | | | |
| 5 | Thomas Strayton..... | do | 8 | .. | Feby 9 | " | 102 | 77 |
| | | | | | 1818 | | | |
| 6 | John Stevens als..... Stephenson | do | 8 | .. | June 24 | " | 162 | 92 |
| | | | | | | | 593 | 94 |

The following is the name of a Revolutionary Pensioner whose name has been stricken from the roll of this agency, agreeably to the Act of the 1st of May, 1820, since the 4 of March 1821.

Frazier Gray private $8 per month.

You will please pay to the Half pay Pensioner of the United States arising from land relinquishment within the State of Delaware whose name was inscribed on the roll of your Agency prior to the 4th of March 1821 and whose pension commenced on the 20th of April 1820, the semi-annual allowance due him on the 4th of September 1821 amounting to twenty four dollars.

Funds to meet this payment will be ordered to your credit from the Treasury Department.

List of Invalid Pensioners of the United States, belonging to the State of Delaware, who are to receive their Semi-Annual allowances from the 4th of September 1819 to the 4th of March 1820, at the F. Bank at New Castle.

| No. | Name of Pensioners | Rank | Monthly allowances | | From what time | To what time | Amount of Pension | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | 1820 | 1821 | | |
| 1 | Edward Armstrong..... | Lieutenant | 15 | 11 | Sept. 4 | Mar. 4 | 90 | 66 |
| 2 | Patrick Coleman..... | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 3 | Stephen Enos..... | Sergeant | 4 | .. | " | " | 24 | .. |
| 4 | David Hall..... | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 5 | Thomas Holston..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 6 | Elijah Linch..... | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 7 | John Robinson..... | Corporal | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 8 | John Shelton..... | Private | 4 | 80 | " | " | 28 | 80 |
| 9 | James Tilton..... | Phys & Surg | 30 | .. | " | " | 180 | |
| 10 | Thomas Wattson..... | & Gen. | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 11 | Jesse Wattson..... | Private | 4 | .. | " | " | 24 | .. |
| 12 | Thomas D. Lewis (restored).. | do | 5 | 33⅓ | " | " | 64 | .. |

Half pay Pensioners of the United States belonging to the State of Delaware who is to receive her Semi-annual allowance from September 4, 1820 to March 4, 1821, at the Farmer's Bank at New Castle.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | 1820 | 1821 | | |
| 1 | Deborah Taylor, Guardian of the Heirs of John Taylor dec..... | Private | 4 | .. | Sept. 4 | Mar. 4 | 24 | .. |

Names of Revolutionary Pensioners which have been transferred from the roll of this Agency between the 4th of March and 4th of September 1821.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| William Dawson | Private | $8 | Transf. | to Maryland from 4 March 1820 |
| John Lahey | " | 8 | " | to Pennsylvania from 4 March 1820 |
| John Toomey | " | 8 | " | to Maryland from 4 March 1820 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| William Ake | private | $8 per mo. |
| Jacob Allen | " | 8 " " |
| Isaac Dewees | mariner | 8 " " |
| John Eastwick | private | 8 " " |
| Francis Freeman | " | 8 " " |
| John Hayes Green | " | 8 " " |
| Edward Harmon | " | 8 " " |
| Nehemiah Lingrell | " | 8 " " |
| Mitchell Lecatt | private | $8 per mo. |
| John McKinley | marine | 8 " " |
| Archibald Morton | private | 8 " " |
| Peter Pusley | " | 8 " " |
| Levi Powell | " | 8 " " |
| John Shelton | " | 8 " " |
| Thomas Strayton | " | 8 " " |
| John Stevens, ales Stephenson | | 8 " " |

List of Revolutionary Pensioners of the United States, belonging to the State of Delaware, who having heretofore exhibited Schedules of their property have been continued on the Roll, and are to receive their Semi-annual allowances from the 4th September 1820 to the 4th March 1821.

| No. | Name of Pensioners | Rank | Monthly allowances | | From what time | To what time | Amount of Pension | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | 1820 | 1821 | | |
| 1 | Henry Boyd | Private | 8 | .. | Sept. 4 | Mar. 4 | 48 | .. |
| 2 | John Hanna | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| 3 | William Saunders | Corporal | 8 | .. | " | " | 48 | .. |
| | | | | | | | 144 | .. |

List of Revolutionary Pensioners of the U. S. belonging to the State of Delaware who have exhibited Schedules of their Property, have been continued on the Roll of this Agency, since the 4th September 1820, and are to receive their Semi-annual allowances and arrearages up to March 4 1821.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | 1820 | 1821 | | |
| 4 | Patrick Connelly | Private | 8 | .. | Mar. 4 | Mar. 4 | 96 | .. |
| 5 | James Davis | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 96 | .. |
| 6 | James Donoho | Sergeant | 8 | .. | " | " | 96 | .. |
| | (transferred from Penn) | | | | | 1820 | | |
| 6 | James Fitzgerald | Private | 8 | .. | " | Nov. 5 | 64 | 55 |
| | | | | | 1818 | 1821 | | |
| 7 | Major Hitchens | Private | 8 | .. | June 24 | Mar 4 | 258 | 94 |
| 8 | Richard Mowlan | do | 8 | .. | " | " | 96 | .. |
| 9 | Benjamin McLane | Ensign | 20 | .. | " | " | 240 | .. |
| 10 | Jesse Royal | Private | 8 | .. | " | " | 96 | .. |
| | | | | | | | 978 | 94 |

Revolutionary Pensioner of the U. S. belonging to the State of Delaware whose name has been inscribed on the Roll of this Agency since Septemb 4 1820 but who not having exhibited a Schedule of his property is to receive his arrearages of Pension only up to March 4 1820.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | 1818 | 1820 | | |
| 11 | Archibald Morton | Private | 8 | .. | May 19 | Mar. 4 | 172 | 41 |

The following is a list of such Revolutionary Pensioners as have exhibited Schedules of their property in conformity with the Act of the 1 May 1820, and have been continued on the roll of your Agency, since the 4th of September 1820.

The usual lists made out and transmitted Semi Annually are now forwarded without any variation as to form; but it will be observed that none of the Revolutionary Pensioners are to be paid beyond the 4 March 1820, except those who have exhibited Schedules of their property and whose names are inserted in this list who will be paid their annual allowances from the 4 March 1820, to the 4th March 1821.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Patrick Connelly | private | 8 p mo. |
| James Davis | do | 8 " |
| James Donoho | Sergt. | 8 " |
| Major Hitchens | private | 8 " |
| Richard Mowlan | do | 8 " |
| Benjamin McLane | Ensign | 20 " |
| Jesse Royal | private | 8 " |

You will please to pay to the Half pay pensioners of the United States arising from a relinquishment of Bounty Land, within the State of Delaware, whose name was inscribed on your roll prior to the 4th September, last, and whose allowance commenced on the 20 April, 1820, the Semi-annual allowance due her on the 4th March, 1821, amounting to twenty-four dollars.

Funds to meet this payment will be ordered to your credit from the Treasury Department.

War Department,

March 3rd, 1821,

I. C. CALBOUN.

Statement showing the names, rank, etc., of Invalid Pensioners of the Revolutionary War compiled from the different States, as published in Senate Document No. 514 23rd Congress, 1st Session.

| State | Name | Rank | Amt. Rec. | Service | Remarks | Folio |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | Reed Frederick | Pr. | 1136.80 | Delaware | Died Feby. 14, 1830 | 256 |
| | Ross David | Pr. | 1279.51 | Do | | " |
| New Jersey | Brown John | Pr. | 240.00 | Delaware Continental Line | | |
| Pennsylvania | Anderson Enoch | Capt. | 1453.33 | " " " | | 105 |
| | Bennett Benjamin | Pr. | 325.59 | " " " | | 97 |
| | Clark John | 3rd Capt. | 1283.99 | " " " | | 123 |
| | Dusky John | Pr. | 313.23 | " " " | | 83 Died 8 '24 '23 |
| | Graham Hugh | Pr. | 80.00 | " " " | | 134 |
| | Gray James | Pr. | 1523.69 | " " " | | 95 |
| | Hennen Thomas | Pr. | 1316.12 | " " " | | 69 Died 1 '16 '32 |
| | Higgins Andrew | Pr. | 129.06 | " " " | | 80 |
| | King Andrew | Sergt. | 451.66 | " " " | | 95 |
| | Lahey John | Pr. | 1198.45 | " " " | | 97 Died 1 '8 '32 |
| | Marian John | Pr. | 200.00 | " " " | | 134 |
| | McConaghy John | Pr. | 297.35 | " " " | | 89 Died 9 '8 '22 |
| | Newell William | Pr. | 1517.93 | " " " | | 95 |
| | Rose Isaac | Pr. | 495.20 | " " " | | 104 Died 6 '7 '23 |
| | Steel John | Pr. | 566.36 | " " " | | 114 |
| | Wells Henry | Pr. | 240.00 | " " " | | 190 |

NEW-CASTLE, June 2, 1775.

# At a Meeting of the FIELD-OFFICERS of the County.

## P R E S E N T,

Colonel McKinly, Colonel Cantwell, Lieutenant-Colonel Latimer, Lieutenant-Colonel Patterson, Lieutenant-Colonel McDonough, Major Duff, Major Bedford and Major Foster.

*Ordered,*

THAT each Captain receive from the Powder and Lead, engaged in the County, ten Pounds of Powder and forty Pounds of Lead, which they are not to deliver to their Companies but upon an Emergency.

*Refolved,*

That an Adjutant is neceffary for each Regiment, and a Drummer and Fifer for each Company, and that Application be made to the Committee of the County at their next Meeting to make Provifion for their Support, and that Col. *McKinly* be appointed to make this Application.

*Ordered,*

That the upper Regiment be reviewed on *Monday*
that the middle Regiment be reviewed on *Wednefday*
and that the lower Regiment be reviewed on *Friday* the
of the fame Month, at fuch Places as the Field-Officers
fhall refpectively appoint.

*Ordered,*

That the Regiments be uniformed in the following Manner, *viz.* With fhort light blue Coats, lined with white, with flafh Pockets and falfe flafh Sleeves, plain fmall white Metal Buttons, with Buttons and Button-Holes on both Sides of the Breaft, the Buttons behind the Holes; fhort white Waiftcoats, with Belts, white Breeches, black Garters, white Stockings and half Spatterdafhes. The Colonels and Lieutenant-Colonels to wear an Epaulette on each Shoulder, the Majors to wear one on the left Shoulder, all of Silver.——All other comiffioned Officers to wear a Shoulder-ftrap of the Colour of the Facings, edged with white Lace on each Shoulder, the non-commiffioned Officers to wear plain Shoulder-ftraps of the Colour of the Facings; the Privates to wear plain Shoulder-ftraps of the Colour of the Coat.——The Hat to be fmall and round, without Button or Loop, bound with black, and a broad Ribbon round the Crown of the Colour of the Facings.——That Col. *McKinly's* Regiment have white Cuffs and Capes; Col. *Cooch'* Regiment have buff Cuffs and Capes; and that Col. *Cantwell's* Regiment have green Cuffs and Capes.

It is recommended that the Companies in each Hundred meet together as often as the Field-Officers of the Regiments direct.

It is alfo recommended that the Field-Officers call the Captains of their refpective Companies together in fhome fhort time to fettle their Rank.

Original owned by Mr. Willard S. Morse,
Seaford, Delaware.

Newcastle, Delaware, May 20, 1775.

This day, agreeable to appointment, the Captains and Subaltern Officers of Newcastle County met at Christiana Bridge to choose Commanders, when the following gentlemen were chosen, viz:

For the Upper Division.

James McKinley, Esq., Colonel;
James Latimer, Esq., Lieutenant Colonel;
Thomas Duff, Esq., Major.

For the Lower Division

Thomas Cooch, Esq., Colonel;
Samuel Patterson, Lieutenant Colonel;
Gunning Bedford, Major.

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## FORMATION OF AN ASSOCIATION

Kent-County upon Delaware, May 25, 1775.

The Militia Officers of above twenty Companies, chosen in the several Districts throughout the County, met together at Dover; and that the business of the day might be conducted with order and regularity, they chose Captain John Haslet, Chairman, and Lieutenant Mark McCall, Clerk.

The following Association was then drawn up, and unanimously approved and subscribed, viz:

"We, whose names are hereunto written, Military Officers, duly elected and chosen by the good people of the several Hundreds and Districts of the County of Kent upon Delaware, pursuant to the direction and recommendation of the Committee of Inspection for said County, do hereby jointly and severally, for ourselves and each of us, solemnly promise and engage, by the sacred ties of honour and love for our Country, that we and each of us, will to the utmost of our abilities, well and faithfully execute the important offices conferred upon us by our fellow-subjects and in our military and in every other capacity, at the risk of our lives and fortunes, defend the liberties and privileges of America, as well natural as constitutional, against all invaders, or such as may attempt any the least violation or infringement of them.

And we do further, in manner aforesaid, promise and agree, that we, and each of us, will subject ourselves to such pains, penalties, military punishments, and disgrace, as Court Martial, to be constituted from time to time of the officers of our own body, shall or may inflict on any of us offending against the rules of military discipline, or contravening, in word or deed, the true interest of America, or the spirit and principle of this Association."

The convention next proceeded to divide the County into two Divisions,

each division to contain one Regiment of men and then chose the necessary Field-Officers for each Regiment, viz:

For the Upper Regiment.

The Honorable Caesar Rodney, Esq., Colonel;
Thomas Collins, Esquire, Lieutenant-Colonel; and
Mr. French Battell, Major.

For the Lower Reigment.

John Haslet, Esquire, Colonel;
William Rhodes, Esquire, Lieutenant-Colonel;
Mr. Robert Hodgson, Major.

They then settled a uniform plan of their future conduct, with rules to be observed in every Company; and broke up in perfect harmony.

Published by order of the Convention:

MARK McCALL, Clerk.

American Archives 4th Vol. 2, 704.

## EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE "COUNCIL OF SAFETY."

Note.—These minutes were purchased by the State at the sale of papers found in the old Rodney house in Wilmington.

Saturday September 16 A. M. "1775."

The Council went into the consideration of the appointment of the Captains and Subaltern Officers nominated in the several districts of New Castle County as they are returned before this Council and in the prosecution therefore motion the Question were put do the Council approve of the Several Gentlemen as returned to the Council for officers of the respective Companies in three Battalions of New Castle County and it passed in the affirmative—

Their Names and Rank as follows to wit :

First Capt. Jacob Derickson
First Lieut. Peter Vandiver, Junr.
Second do John Vandiver
Ensign William Elliott, Junr.

Second Capt. William Anderson
First Lieut. John James
Second do Moses McKnight
Ensign James Crossan

Third Capt. Emanuel Grubb
First Lieut. Thomas Robinson Junr.
Second do John Bird
Ensign John Pyle

Fourth Capt. George Craighead
First Lieut. John Hendrickson
Second do Chas. Son of Joseph Springer
Ensign Peter Hindrickson

On Motion and the Question shall,

David Hall be Colo. of one of the Battallions of Sussex carried in the affirmative.

John Conwell Lieut Col
Henry Fisher Major
Henry Niell Adjutant
William Bonus Standard Bearer
Joseph Hall Surgeon
Jacob Moore Col.
James Rench Lieut. Col.
John Wiltbank Major
David Train Adjutant
Thomas March Standard Bearer

New Sussex.
John Dagworthy, Colonel
John Jones Lieut. Colonel
Simon Kollock Major
Nathaniel Mitchell Adjutant
Elijah Cannon Standard Bearer

## EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL—Continued

Notes of Proceedings of the Council of Safety at a meeting of said Council held at Dover in the County of Kent on Monday the Eight Day of January 1776—

The Honorable House of Assembly for the Government of the Counties of New Castle, Kent & Sussex upon Delaware at a Session of Assembly held at New Castle on the 20th Day of October last having in Pursuance of the Directions of the Honorable Continental Congress proceeded to the Nomination & Appointment of a Council of Safety it appears from the Votes of the said House on the Occasion that the following Gentlemen were appointed for that Purpose viz:

For New Castle County
Brig. Genl. John McKinly
Captain John Evans
Lt. Col. James Latimer
Major Gunning Bedford
Col. Richard Cantwell
Lieut. Nicholas Vandyke
George Read Esqr.

For Kent County
William Killen
Capt. Thomas Rodney
Col. John Haslet
L. Col. Thomas Collins
Charles Ridgely
James Sykes Esq.r
Capt. Thomas Tilton

For Sussex County
Brig. Genl. John Dagworthy
Col. David Hall
Col. Jacob Moore
Major John Wiltbank
Isaac Bradley Esq.
William Polke Esq.
Lieut. Col. John Jones

Jany. 12th 1776.

On Motion the order of the Day was read & the Council resumed the Consideration of the Appointment of Officers in the Continental Battalion to be raised in this Government;

Agreed Upon the Question that the Captains Lieutenants and Ensigns for three Companies in the Battalion now to be raised in pursuance of the Recommendation of the Honorable Continental Congress be appointed of the Persons applying for Commissions from New Castle County, That the like Officers for Three Companies in the said Battalion be appointed of the Persons applying for Commissions from Kent County and that the officers for the remaining two Companies be appointed of the Persons who apply for Commissions in said Battalion from Sussex County—

The Council then went into the Appointment of the said Captains & subaltern Officers and the following Persons were chosen, to wit from the said County of New Castle—

Captain Joseph Stedham
Captain Henry Darby
Captain Samuel Smith
1st Lieut. Robert Kirkwood Jun.
Lewis Howell
John Dixon

2d. Lieut. Enoch Anderson
William Popham
James McDonough Jun.
Ensigns, Thomas McClintick
Thomas Holland
Abraham Carty

EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL—Continued

And the following persons were chosen from the County of Kent to wit—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Captains | Jonathan Caldwell | 2d. Lieut. | George McCall |
| | Nathan Adams | | James Gordon |
| | Charles Pope | | Alexander Stuart |
| 1st. Lieut. | John Patten | Ensign | James Stevens |
| | James Moore | | Thomas Nixon Jun. |
| | James Wells | | John Wilson |

And the following Persons were chosen from the County of Sussex—to wit

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Captains | David Hall Junr. | 2d. Lieut. | John Learmonth |
| | Joseph Vaughan | | John Purkins |
| 1st. Lieut. | Jonathan Hearney | Ensign | Cord Hazard |
| | Joseph Truitt Junr. | | William Vaughan |

And on Motion that the Council do now appoint the Staff Officers to the said Battalion the following Persons were severally chosen to wit

Dr. James Tilton ..... as Surgeon
Thomas Holland ..... Adjutant
Robert Baile ..... Quarter Master
The Revd. Joseph Montgomery ..... Chaplain

Then the Council adjourned until tomorrow Morning 10 o'clock—

Jany. 13th 1776.

The Council took into consideration the Rank to be assigned to the Captains appointed in the Battalion on Friday last and determined upon the Question severally that Josh. Stedham be the first Captain in the said Battalion—

That Jonathan Caldwell ..... be second Captain.
That David Hall the younger, be Third Captain
That Henry Darby ..... be Fourth Captain
That Charles Pope ..... be Fifth Captain
That Nathan Adams ..... be Sixth Captain
That Samuel Smith ..... be Seventh Captain
That Joseph Vaughan ..... be Eighth Captain

Kent County on Delaware.

We the Subscribers, being the Militia Light Infantry Company of Dover, do hereby Associate & bind our selves by every Tie of Honour, Virtue and Good Faith, to Adhere and stand firm, together, at the risque of our lives & fortunes, in the Defence and Protection of American Liberty: And we do further hereby subject our selves, when on duty, to the due & proper orders and commands of our Officers according to the custom of Military Discipline; And to the Laws, Articles and Rules, already Enacted, Made or Ordered, or hereafter to be Enacted, made or Ordered by the House of Assembly of this Government, for the better Regulation of the Militia within the same — And also when called into Actual service, to the Laws, Articles & Rules made or to be made by the Continental Congress for the Government of the Continental Army.

April the 2. 1776.

Thomas Rodney Capt.
Mark M'Call 1 Lieut
Peter Tabert 2 Lt.
Simon Wilson Ensign
Jno Jordan 1 Serg
George Gofortt 2 Serg
Jonathan McKee 3 Serg
George Rowan 4 Serg
Major Taylor 1 Cor
Joseph Harvey 2 Cor.
Thomas Parkin 3 Corp.
Thomas Storey 4 Corp.

Jeremiah Tilton
John Manning
Reuben Gilson } army
John Dawson
John Conway
65 Privates among whom are Laborers and

Myers Cason
James [illegible]
Henry Rowan
Elijah his x mark Pennington
John Story
John Brown
William Berry
Stapleton his x mark Mills
Thos. Shannin discharged May 1. 1776
Mark Crowdell
John Mullen
Thomas North
Archd. his x mark Jackson
Jacob Grawell
Mahr
Wm. his x mark Dewey
[illegible]
Samuel Williams Chief Justice
William Killen Vincent

Vincent Lockerman Jr.
John Cahor
John M Luer
John his Mills mark
Thomas Goodwin
Thos. Dell
~~Henry his Jones~~ Enlisted mark
William his Jones mark
Levin Thomas
Jonathan Hutchison
Daniel Thomas
Benjamin Thomas
Whittington Draper
~~Wright Mills~~ Enlisted
Bayard his Simmons mark
James his West mark
David Jackson
Edward Cole
William McClement
Daniel Harris
John his Sullivan Mark
Henry Simmons
Jas. his Mills Mark
John Freeman
Robert Gibson
David his Turner mark
John his Peterson Mark
George Goldsith
Mark Manlove
Peter his Brinkley Mark
James Craige
James M Clement
Thomas Clayton
John Bell discharged May 9th 1776
Thos. Barker Corp.l pro tem
John French Battell
Thos. his Donovan mark
Saml. his Donovan mark
Preston Young
John Taylor
John his Crocket mark
William Maxwell Jun.r
Matthew Greentree
Charles Nixon
David Clark

## PRIVATE NOTE BOOK OF CAPTAIN THOMAS RODNEY.

Purchased at the Rodney sale.

Whittington Draper gave order.
Thomas Wilds do
John Maxwell Jur. do

Light Infantry Company
List of Delinquints April 20th, 1776.

Lieut. McCall
Major Taylor excused
Miers Carson Fin'd
Elijah Pennington Fin'd
John Brown Fin'd
Archb. Jackson Excus'd
Saml. Williams Excus'd
William McClement Fin'd
John Sullivan Excus'd
x John Freeman appd. & made excuse
James Craig Fin'd
James McClement Excus'd
Theo. Poke Fin'd
John Martin do
Robt. McGarmet do
Dan'l Freeman do
Luke Story Discharged
Wm. Kimmy Fin'd

A List of Delinquints Saturday, April 27th, 1776—

Thomas Shimmon Discharged
John Freeman Fin'd
John Bell do
John Martin do
Wm. Kimmy Fin'd
Robt. McGermet do
Danl. Freeman do

Review Saturday May 4th, Delinquints

Theo. Parke Fin'd
John Martin do
Danl. Freeman do
William Kimmy do

May 11th, 1776—

Major Taylor Fin'd
Wm. Berry do
Robt. Carson Excus'd
Theophilus Parke Fin'd
John Martin Fin'd
Robt. McGermet do
Wm. Kimmy do

May 18th, 1776--Rain no muster.

May 25th, 1776

N. Tilton Excused
S. Millis do
T. Wilds Fin'd
T. Parke Excused
J. Martin Fined
W. Kimmy do
C. Nixon Excused

June 1st, 1776—

Major Taylor Excused
Thos. North Fined
John Miller Fin'd
SamI. Goodwin Excused
Benja. Thomas do
James West do
David Jackson do
David Tanner do
Geo. Goforth do
Jas. Craig Fin'd
John Taylor do
Wm. Kimmy do
Chas. Nixon Excused

A List of those who have guns of their own—

John Baning in good order
Vinct. Lockerman Jur. do
John Dawson do
Thomas Story do
Jonatha Hutchinson do
John Battell do
William Berry not in order
John Corker do
Danl. Thomas good order
Lewis Thomas not in order
David Tanner do
James West do
Breston Young do
John McCeaver do
Jas. Junifer Jur. do
Saml. Gooding do

To the Hon.ble the Delegates in Congress Assembled

We the Officers of the Delaware Battalion in the Service of the United States of America beg leave to recommend to you Mr. Robert Bail for a Vacant Ensigncy in said Battalion.

Philad.a 10th Aug.t 1776

John Haslet C. D. B.
Gunning Bedford L.t Col. D.B.
Thos. McDonough Maj.r D.B.
Jo.s Hedham Capt. D.B.
Jonathan Caldwell Capt.
Nathan Adams Capt.
Joseph Vaughan Capt.
Charles Pope Capt.

John Patten Lieut.
Robt. Kirkwood Lieut.
John Patrick Lieut.
James Moore Lieut.
Thos. Holland Adjut.
Jas. Tilton Surgeon

Original owned by
Mr W. S. Morse, Seaford, Del.

## PRINCETON LIGHT INFANTRY CO. OF DELAWARE

Paper purchased at the Rodney sale.

Inlistment Under Captn. Rodney & Officers of his Company. We whose names are hereto Subscribed, Do hereby promise and engage . . . . .n to the Service of the United States, and To Serve Them Till the Tenth day of January next, Unless sooner discharged by Congress; and to Observe and Obey the Orders of Congress and the Orders of the Generals and Officers Set over Us by Them.

| | |
|---|---|
| Captn. | THOMAS RODNEY |
| 1 Lieut. | MARK McCALL |
| 2 Lieut. | PETER TORBERT |
| 3 Lieut. | SIMON W. WILLSON |
| 1 | ROBT. McGERMANT |
| 2 | JOHN BULLEN |
| 3 | JAMES CRAGS |
| 4 | JAMES M'CLYMENT |
| 5 | JAS. JORDAN |
| 6 | GEORGE ROWAN |
| 7 | WILLIAM KILLEN |
| 8 | NEHEMIAH TILTON |
| 9 | THOMAS NORTH |
| 10 | JOHN DAWSON |
| 11 | WHITTINGTON DRAPER |
| 12 | JOHN BELL—orrest |
| 13 | HUGH ROE |
| 14 | MARK COUDRATT |
| 15 | STEPHEN MILLIS |
| 16 | PETER B. FURY |
| 17 | ELIJA PENNINGTON |
| 18 | JONATHAN McKNATT |
| 19 | WILLIAM MAXWELL |
| 20 | JONATHAN LOWBER |
| 21 | JOHN .....EN |
| 22 | THOS. ..... |
| 23 | RICH ..... |

On back of paper:
"Papers respect'g The Princetown Light Infantry Company".

## LIGHT INFANTRY CO. OF DOVER

Paper Purchased at the Rodney sale.

A Muster Roll of Capt. Thomas Rodney's Company of Militia Volunteers of the first Battalion of Kent County on Delaware, whereof Brigadr. Genl. Caesar Rodney is Col.

| COMMISSION'D OFFICERS | SERGEANTS | CORPORALS |
|---|---|---|
| Capt. Thomas Rodney | Jonathan McNatt | John Dawson |
| x Lieut. Mark McCall | George Rowan | Elijah Pennington |
| Ensign Simon W. Willson | | |

| PRIVATES | DRUMMER |
|---|---|
| Nehemiah Tilton | Phillip Wheeler |
| John Bullen | FIFER |
| xMartinus Sipple | Boice Emmery |
| Robert McGarmont | |
| xWhittenton Draper | |
| xMark Coudratt | |
| James McClement | |
| James Craige | |
| Major Taylor | |
| James Millis | |
| Thomas Taylor | |
| John Crocket | |
| xJonathan Lowber | |
| William Maxwell | |
| Stephen Horn | |
| Thomas White | |
| Richard White | |
| Edward Dyer | |
| John Warren | |
| Benjamin Warren | |
| Peter B. Fury | |
| xJohn Davis | |
| Peter Meredith | |

died on his way home in Jersey, all the rest returned. This Company was in the Second Battle at Trent Town, and the Battle at Prince Town, or rather near Prince Town. T. R.

Those marked thus x were not in the Actions at Princetown.

This is to Certify that the Light Infantry Company of Dover (Mustered by the name of Capt. Thomas Rodney's Company of Militia Volunteers of the first Battalion of Kent County on Delaware whereof B. G. Caesar Rodney is Col.) marched from Dover the fourteenth day of December 1776. And joined Brigadier General Caldwaladers Brigade at Bristol on The 22d. day of the Instant Decmber, and continued with the same Brigade Till the 14th day of January 1777. When the whole Company Except myself and one Private Left the army at Morris Town and came Home, Except also Martinus Sipple one of the Privates who Deserted at the second Battel of Trent Town and Jonathan Lowber & Mark Coudratt two other Privates who Deserted next morning at the Battel of Prince Town—That the said Company consisted of the Capt. one Lieut. one Ensign, Two Corporals, a Drum & Fife and Twenty three Privates as by the Muster Roll may appear.—

THOMAS RODNEY Captn.

Must'd Then in Captn Rodneys Compa; The Captn one Lieutent one Ensign Two Serjants Two Corporals one Drumer one Fifer & Twenty Three Privates This Muster is Taken from Fourteenth of December to the Twenty-first. Do Booth Days Encluded.

NATHL. DONNELL Dept. Must. Mast.

I do hereby Certify that the within Mustered officers and Privates Marched from Dover the 14 of this Instant and have a right to receive pay according to the Rank they hold in this Roll agreeable to a Resolution of the Council of Safety of the Delaware State.

Decr. 21, 1776. THOMAS RODNEY, Captn.

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Muster Roll—Rodneys Infantry—alias—Dover Light Infantry, which with 4 Companies of the City of Philada Founded a Regiment of Light Infantry Under the Command of said Captn. Rodney—This Regiment had The Van of the American Army in Decr. 1776 & Jany. 1777, and acted as life guard, to the Commander in Chief at Morris Town, where the Army Encamped in Triumph after Their Victorious Success—

A MORNING RETURN OF THE DELAWARE BATTALION OF MILITIA COMMANDED COL. THOS. COLLINS, JANUARY 20, 1777, TRENTON.

Officers Present

| COMPANIES | COMMISSIONED | | | | | | | STAFF | | | | | NON. COM. | | | | RANK & FILE | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Colonel | Lieut. Colonel | Major | Captains | First Lieutenant | Second Lieutenant | Ensign | Chaplain | Adjutant | Quarter Master | Surgeon | Mate | Sergeant Major | Quarter Mas. Sergeant | Sergeants | Drums and Fifes | Present fit for Duty | Sick Present | Sick Absent | On Command | On Furlough | Total |
| Captain Manney | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 22 | 1 | | | | 23 |
| do Wm. Clark | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 23 | 5 | | 5 | | 33 |
| do Wm. Perry | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | 4 | 2 | 36 | 3 | 2 | | | 41 |
| do James Rayman | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | 4 | 2 | 21 | | 1 | 5 | | 27 |
| do Edward Rees | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | 2 | | 27 | | 2 | 4 | | 35 |
| do Wm. Moodey | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 18 | | | 2 | | 20 |
| do Peter Hyatt | | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | 13 | 1 | | 3 | | 20 |
| do Elijah Barry | | | | 1 | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | | | 2 | | 14 | 1 | | 3 | | 18 |
| do Cuthbert Cole | | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | 12 | | | 1 | | 13 |
| | 1 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 9 | 6 | 6 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | | 22 | 7 | 186 | 11 | 5 | 23 | | 228 |

Capt. Clark Sick Absent.
Ensign Martin Sick.
Adjutant McLane.

## A MUSTER ROLL OF THE DOVER TROOP LT. HORSE

| PERSONS NAMES | When Joined | | When absented | | Absent with or without leave |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Month | Day | Month | Day | |
| Lt. Isaac Carty | Augt. | 28 | | | |
| Lt. Jas. Carson | do | 21 | | | |
| Adj. Benj. Crooks | do | 21 | Sept. | 7 | with Leave for 3 days |
| Qr. Mas. Chas. Eustace | do | 28 | | | |
| Saml. Freeman | do | 28 | | | |
| Wm. Fowler | do | 21 | Sept. | 5 | with Leave being sick |
| Wm. David | do | 28 | | | |
| Benjn. Hubanks | do | 21 | Sept. | 6 | with Leave for 4 days |
| Benj. Stout | do | 21 | | | |
| Stephn. Wood | do | 21 | | | |
| Benjn. Coombs | do | 21 | | | |
| Thos. Murphy | do | 28 | Sept. | 6 | with Leave for 2 days |
| Chas. Cahoon | do | 28 | Sept. | 7 | with leave for 5 days |
| Wm. Berry | do | 28 | | | |
| Jno. Freeman | do | 21 | | | Absent 10 days and returned |
| Wm. Frazer | do | 28 | | | |
| Thos. Golsboro | Sept. | 3 | | | |
| Thos. Skillington | Sept. | 3 | Sept. | 7 | with Leave |
| Elija Bartlett | Sept. | 5 | | | |
| Jno. Bell | Sept. | 2 | | | |
| Chas. Irons | Sept. | 5 | | | |
| Benjn. Vining | Sept. | 7 | | | |

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"Sept. 9th 1777"

## A RETURN OF THE FORCES UNDER THE COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL CAESAR RODNEY, SEPT.R 6th, 1777.

### 1st. BATTALION KENT MILITIA COMMANDED BY LIEUT. COL. FRENCH BATTELL

Lieut. Col. F. Battell
Maj. James Raymond

| Captains & Companies | Lieut. | Ensign | Serjants | Capt. | Drums & F | Privates | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Moleston Corry | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | 26 | 31 |
| Richard Lockwood | 2 | 1 | 3 | | | 27 | 37 |
| Samuel West | 1 | 1 | 2 | | | 23 | 27 |
| Edward Rees | 1 | 1 | 2 | | | 16 | 20 |
| Cristopher Denny | 2 | 1 | 2 | | 1 | 26 | 33 |
| Silas Snow | 2 | 1 | 3 | | | 14 | 21 |
| Isaac Griffin | 1 | | 2 | | | 13 | 17 |
| Stephen Lewis | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | 6 | 11 |
| Mark McCall | | | | | | | |
| Joseph David | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | | 21 | 28 |
| Total | | | | | | | 260 |

William Jordan Quarter Master
Robert Hauke Commissary

### 2d. BATTALION KENT MALITIA COMMANDED BY COL. WILLIAM RHODES.

Col. William Rhodes
Lieut. Col. Philip Barret

| Captains & Companies | Lieut. | Ensign | Serjants | Capt. | Drums & F | Privates | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Francis Many | 2 | 1 | 2 | | | 29 | 35 |
| Elijah Berry | 2 | 1 | 2 | | | 17 | 23 |
| Richard Dellener | 2 | 1 | 2 | | | 14 | 19 |
| John Gray | 2 | 1 | 4 | | | 18 | 26 |
| Thomas Hailds | 2 | | 1 | | | 7 | 11 |
| Joseph Caldwell | 2 | 1 | 4 | | 11 | 24 | 34 |
| Total | | | | | | | 181 |

Benjamin Gibbs Adjutant
Thomas Nixon Surgeon

### 3d. BATTALION NEW CASTLE MALITIA COMMANDED BY LIEUT. COL. JOHN FOSTER.

Lieut. Col. John Foster
Major. Nichl. Vandike

| Captains & Companies | Lieut. | Ensign | Serjants | Capt. | Drums & F | Privates | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Abraham Stauts | 1 | | | | | 3 | 5 |
| William Clark | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | | 22 | 31 |
| William Moody | 1 | | 3 | | | 11 | 16 |
| Thos. Weatherspoon | 1 | 1 | 2 | | | 14 | 19 |
| Peter Wyatt | | 1 | 1 | | | 10 | 13 |
| John Crawford | 2 | 1 | 3 | | | 24 | 31 |
| Total | | | | | | | 119 |

Quarter Master
Surgeon

Head Quarters at Middletown

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1 Batta. | 260 | |
| 2 " | 181 | |
| 3 " | 119 | |
| Total | 560 men with 2241 Cartriges | |

Thomas Rodney B. Major

## A RATION ROLL OF CAPT. JOSEPH CALDWELLS COMPANY FROM THE DATE OF THEIR ENLISTMENT TO THIS 28th DEC. 1777.

Paper purchased at the Rodney Sale

| Day of Inlistment | | | Beef | Flower | Brandy |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Octor. | 2 | Capt. Joseph Caldwell, 2 months | 186 | 186 | 186 |
| | | Ensign Warrick Duhadbough, 2 mo. | 124 | 124 | 124 |
| | | Fifer John Caldwell, 2 mo. | 162 | 124 | 124 |
| | | John Lyle, 2 mo. | 162 | 162 | 162 |
| | | Nathaniel Stradley, 2 mo. | 62 | 62 | 62 |
| Novr. | 13 | Isaac Virdin, 1 mo. & 15 dys. | 46 | 46 | 46 |
| | 8 | Lewis Davis, 1 mo. & 20 days. | 54 | 54 | 54 |
| | 18 | William Drew, 1 mo. & 11 dys. | 41 | 41 | 41 |
| | | | 637 | 637 | 637 |
| | | By Rations Recd..... | 218 | 218 | 218 |
| | | Due..... | 487 | 419 | 419 |
| Octor. | 28 | Lieut. David Maxwell, 2 mo. | 124 | 124 | 124 |
| Octor. | 28 | Lieut. Richard Bishop, 2 mo. | 124 | 124 | 124 |
| Octor. | 28 | George Bateman, 2 mo. | 62 | 62 | 62 |
| Octor. | 28 | John Gildersleeves, 2 mo. | 62 | 62 | 62 |
| Octor. | 28 | Adam Fisher | 62 | 62 | 62 |
| Octor. | 28 | John Kilpatrick, 2 mo. | 62 | 62 | 62 |
| Octor. | 28 | James Meredith, 2 mo. | 62 | 62 | 62 |
| Octor. | 28 | Peter King, 2 mo. | 62 | 62 | 26 |
| Octor. | 38 | Jacob Meredith, 2 mo. | | | |
| Octor. | 28 | Richard Smith, 2 mo. | 62 | 62 | 62 |
| Octor. | 28 | John Vendeford, 2 mo. | 62 | 62 | 62 |
| Octor. | 28 | Archibald Jackson, 2 mo. | 62 | 62 | 62 |
| Octor. | 28 | Joseph.....ell, 2 mo. | 62 | 62 | 62 |
| Octor. | 28 | William Wallace, 2 mo. | 62 | 62 | 62 |
| Octor. | 28 | Richard Wells, 2 mo. | 62 | 62 | 62 |
| Nove. | 8 | Henry Wells, 1 mo. 2 dys. | 54 | 54 | 54 |
| Novr. | 11 | Jonan. Lowber | 48 | 48 | 48 |
| Novr. | 11 | James Holston | 48 | 48 | 48 |
| Novr. | 11 | Reubin Wallace | 48 | 48 | 48 |
| Novr. | 11 | Joseph Brady | 48 | 48 | 48 |
| Novr. | 11 | William Connelly | 48 | 48 | 48 |
| Novr. | 11 | Job Meredith | 48 | 48 | 48 |
| Novr. | 11 | Wm. Scantling | 48 | 48 | 48 |
| Novr. | 11 | Joseph Robinson | 48 | 48 | 48 |
| Novr. | 12 | Wm. Mason | 47 | 47 | 47 |
| Novr. | 13 | John Meredith | 46 | 46 | 46 |
| Novr. | 13 | Issac Brown | 46 | 46 | 46 |
| Novr. | 13 | Jacob Bromwell | 46 | 46 | 46 |
| Novr. | 13 | Mark Manlove | 46 | 46 | 46 |
| Novr. | 13 | William Smith | 46 | 46 | 47 |
| Novr. | 13 | Chas. Hollingsworth | 46 | 46 | 46 |
| Novr. | 13 | James Morriss | 46 | 46 | 46 |
| Novr. | 13 | John Parker | 46 | 46 | 46 |
| Novr. | 13 | Gabl. Sales | 46 | 46 | 46 |

| Inlistmt. Date | | | Beef | Flour | Brandy |
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| Novr. | 14 | John Gibson | 45 | 45 | 45 |
| Novr. | 14 | Thos. Wilcox | 45 | 45 | 45 |
| Novr. | 16 | John Jester | 43 | 43 | 43 |
| Novr. | 16 | Jacob Pierce | 43 | 43 | 43 |
| Novr. | 17 | Thos. Veach | 42 | 42 | 42 |
| Novr. | 17 | Thos. Wells | 42 | 42 | 42 |
| Novr. | 17 | Thos. Arnet | 42 | 42 | 42 |
| Novr. | 18 | Jno. Freeman | 41 | 41 | 41 |
| Novr. | 18 | Jno. Arther | 41 | 41 | 41 |
| Novr. | 18 | Wm. Drew | 41 | 41 | 41 |
| Novr. | 18 | Benja. Holdstone | 41 | 41 | 41 |
| Novr. | 19 | Benj. Shippard | 40 | 40 | 40 |
| Novr. | 21 | Chas. Johnson | 38 | 38 | 38 |
| Novr. | 25 | Vint. Jones | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Novr. | 25 | John Gildersleeve | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Novr. | 25 | Joha. Wallace | 34 | 34 | 34 |

## FIELD-OFFICERS OF THE DELAWARE MILITIA.

| | OFFICERS | REGIMENTS | DATES OF COMMISSIONS. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sussex County | David Hall Esqr. Colo. | 3d. | August 31, 1778 |
| | William Conwell Esqr. Lieut. Colo. | 3d. | do |
| | Henry Fisher Esqr. Major | 3d. | do |
| | John Jones Esqr. Colo. | 6th. | Septemr. 4th. |
| | Simon Kollock Esqr. Lieut. Colo. | 6th | do |
| | (James) Mitchell Esq. Major | 6th | Septemr. 2d. |
| | Joshua Polk Esqr. Colo. | 9th. | Septr. 9th. |
| | Caleb Corwithin Esq. Lieut. Colo. | 9th. | do |
| | Wm. Polke Esqr. Major | 9th. | Septr. 5th |
| Kent County | William Rhodes Esqr. Colo. | 5th. | Sept. 1st. |
| | Philip Barratt Esqr. Lieut. Colo. | 5th. | Septr. 2d. |
| | Benjamin Gibbs Major | 5th. | Septr. 9th. |
| | French Battle Esqr. Colo. | 2d. | Septr. 7th. |
| | James Raymond Esqr. Lieut. Colo. | 2d. | do |
| | Silas Snow Esqr. Major | 2d. | Septr. 8th. |
| New Castle County | Thomas Duff Esq. Colo. | 1st. | Septr. 2d. |
| | Geo. Craghead Esqr. Lt. Colo. | 1st. | Sept. 3d. |
| | James Black Esqr. Major | 1st. | Septr. 7th. |
| | Gunning Bedford Esqr. Colo. | 4th. | Septr. 5th. |
| | Robert Bryan Esqr. Lieut. Colo. | 4th. | do |
| | Thomas Watson Esqr. Major | 4th. | Septr. 3d. |
| | Thomas McDonough Esqr. Colo. | 7th. | Septr. 3d. |
| | Henry Forster Esqr. Lt. Colo. | 7th. | Sept. 1st. |
| | Nicholas Vandyke Esqr. Major | 7th. | do |

## DESERTERS OF THE DELAWARE REGT. COMMANDED BY DAVID HALL IN THE YEAR 1777

### CAPTN. PATTEN'S COMPY.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Michael Dougharty | David McClemons | John Tully |
| Thos. Firman | Wm. Miller | John Williams |
| John Henesy | John Sherren | John Cockran |
| Dennis Lafferty | John Tulle | James Callahan |

### CAPTN. ROBT. KIRKWOOD'S

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| John Smith Corpl. | Geo. Prescott | Philip Lecky |
| John Crawford | John Davis | John Hetherington |
| James Kelly | Henry Dutton | James McCorin |
| Chas. Hawkins | John Gogen | Daniel McCool |
| James Barclay | Daniel Walker | James Lowry |
| Wm. Ward | | |

### CAPTN. ENOCH ANDERSON' COMPY.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Archibald McNicols | Thomas Goare | James Doney |
| William Howard | John McGill | John McCollam |
| Philip Murry | John Allford | Richard Golden |
| Jas. Taylor | John Connelly | George Connelly |
| Alexander Webb | John Ryan | |

### CAPTN. HOLLAND'S Decea'd

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| John Curley | Charles Stanford | Elisha Brooks |
| James Cunningham | Pritchard Hilford | William Trippitt |
| Liliston Layton | | |

### CAPTN. JNO. LEARMONTH'S
(Late Lt. Col. Pope's)

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| John Dunn | Edward McConnel | William McMasters |
| Benjamin Donoho | James McMasters | |

### CAPTN. JAMES MOORE'S COMPY.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| John Shelton | Benjn. Pain | Nicholas Brown |
| Lanty Barns | Patrick Roy | Hugh Smith |
| Wm. Dunkley | William Millar | Absalom Scott |
| Thomas Larkins | John Moore | James Stuart |
| John Curry | James Richards | |

### CAPTN. PETER JACQUETTS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Edward Givin | Berclay Flynn | John Bradley Junr. |
| Dennis Cain | Meredith McGowin | Bartholemew |
| Benjamin Bond | Samuel Campbell | John Carson |
| Peter Westwater | John Bradley Senr. | William Taylor |

### CAPTN. HAZZARDS late Major Vaughans Compy.

| | County born | | County born |
|---|---|---|---|
| John Reed | Dorset | Thomas Millegan | New Castle County |
| William Steel | New Castle | Peter Hubley | do |
| James Night | | James Mcfonnegal | do |
| John Steed | | Isaac Lewis | |
| Shadrack Crossgrove | New Castle | George Warren | New Castle County |
| John Heeds | | Patrick McCarvel | do |
| Francis Boyle | New Castle County | John McGinnis | do |
| James Redding | do | Daniels Well | Dorset County |
| Thomas Henning | do | James Hurley | Kent in Maryland |
| James Hazlet | do | Thomas Hall | |
| John Brady | do | | |

## ORDERS TO CAPTAIN CARTY

Sir

You are, with the Light-Horse Militia under your Immediate Command forthwith to Set out Reconniter fully all the ground between Noxentown and the Head of Elk—You are also to take all you can of the Enemy Prisoners, and bring them to me at Noxentown—You are to Return and make Report to me by Seven o'clock this afternoon—

CAESAR RODNEY,
B. General.

Sept. 2d 1777—
To Captain Carty.

## CAESAR RODNEY TO

Trenton Jany 22d 1777.

Sir:

I have sent you this morning a Company of Coll. Cook's Regiment Commanded by Captain Brady, and three Companies of Pennsylvania Militia Commanded by Coll. Stroud—I am Informed that there are a considerable Number of Troops on the Road between Philada. and this and Expect them or most of them here this Evening. If they come they shall be Immediately forwarded to you—I am Sir your most obedt. Humble Servt.

CAESAR RODNEY, B. G.

## CAESAR RODNEY TO

Trent Town Jany. 25th 1777.

Sirs:

I have sent you this morning the Delaware Batalion of Militia Commanded by Col. Thomas Collins. The Strength of the Batalion (by this morning Return) is Two Hundred and thirty eight including Officers. There are but about Eighty or ninety men now left here which I immagine will not be more than Suffitient for the Safety of this Place as there are Cannon & Stores. As fast as other Troops arrive and can be provided for they shall be sent forward—a part of these now here are a part of Col. Cook's Regiment, they arrived last night—I am with great respect sir your most obedt. Humb. Servt.

CAESAR RODNEY.

P. S. I should be glad to know how many troops you think it will be necessary to keep here.

## ORDERS TO COLONEL THOMAS COLLINS, OR THE COMMANDING OFFICER OF THE FIRST BATTALION OF KENT MILITIA PRESENT.

Delaware State Dover July the 23d 1777.

Sir:

In Virtue of a Requisition of Congress and an order of the Commander in Chief of this State you are hereby ordered Immediately to furnish from your Battalion, properly Equipped, ninety nine of the Militia including six Commission officers, to Join and Do Duty in this State with Colonel Richardson's Regiment

of Continental Troops for the Term of one Month after their arrival in the County of Sussex, if in the opinion of the Commander in Chief of this State, they shall be thought so long if necessary. When you have provided the above mentioned troops you are to cause them to hold themselves in Constant Readiness to March when they shall have orders for that purpose.

CAESAR RODNEY,
B. General.

N. B. a similar one to Colonel Rhodes of the Second Battalion.

## TO THE COMMANDING OFFICER OF THE FIRST BATTA. KENT MILITIA

Sir:

Such of the Company of Light Horse as attended me to Sussex under the command of Lieutt. Carson Have behaved with such Cheerfullness and punctuallity. in Executing, from time to time, my orders, as demands my thanks—Which they now have most sincerely—You are to give orders for the attendance of the whole Company HERE tomorrow, properly Equipped, To march with me to Newcastle County, in order to Join the other Militia of this State.

CAESAR RODNEY,
Bi. General.

Dover Augt. 28th 1777.

## ORDERS

Wilmington Aug.t 31st 1777.

Sir:

It is General Washingtons Express Orders that you Immediately Return from your present post by the same Road you came Untill you git to Cantwells Bridge, and from thence as soon as you hear of the arrival of the New Castle Troops, to proceed to Middle Town. You may expect me to Join you—before you arrive—I am providing Commissaries &c.

C. RODNEY,
B. General.

## ORDER

Wilmington, Augt. 31, 1777.

Sir:

It is General Washingtons Express Orders . . . . . that you immediately march from your present post to Middletown in this County or the nearest and strongest post to it, with the whole of the Newcastle County Militia Arm Rgts. Where I shall join and give you further Orders. You are to give notice to General Maxwell of this movement and leave with him of the said Militia a Number of between twenty & thirty men that are best acquainted with that part of the country you are now in as guides to his others Troops. When you arrive at or in the neighbourhood of Middletown you are to secure your troops in the best manner you can from any Surprize of the Enemy.

C. R.
B. GENERAL

## GENERAL ORDERS.

In virtue of the most Earnest Requisition of his Excellency General Washington, That the Militia of this State, if necessary, Should Join and Co-operate with the Continental Troops now within the State under the command of Brigadier General Smallwood—and in virtue of orders from the Honorable George Read Vice President and Commander in Chief of said State directed to me for this purpose. You are Immediately to see that all the officers and companies belonging to your Battalion, be forthwith equipped in the best manner that, in our present circumstances, They possibley can, with Arms & accoutrements. And hold themselves in Readiness to March under your command and rendezvous at such places, within the State, as shall be hereafter thought most proper to cooperate with the Continental Troops sent here for the defence of the State under the Command of General Smallwood, for which purpose you shall Have orders from me, in Case it should be found necessary.

Head Quarters. Dover
decr. the 22d 1777.

CAESAR RODNEY
MAJOR GENERAL

To Coll. Thomas Collins Eqr.
of the 1st Batta. Militia.

Orders:

Delaware State

Sir:

You are Immediately to countermand the Orders you may have Issued in Consequence of my Orders of the Sixteenth Instant for Assembling the foot Militia of this County to march to the County of Sussex. As also the Orders Issued this day for Assembling the number of twelve of the Light Horse to go to the same place.

Ordered that you Cause, at least, twenty men and Horse; to be furnished from the Light-Horse Company, belonging to your Battalion, to assemble in Dover on Thursday next by six oclock in the afternoon, fully Equipped, and in Compleat order to march with me into the County of Sussex. As this measure is Recommended by the Honble. Continental Congress and Expressly ordered by the president of this State. I hope it will be punctually obeyed.

To the Commandg. Officer
of the 1st Batta. of
Kent Militia.

CAESAR RODNEY,
B. GENERAL

## ORDERS

In Virtue of an Order just Received from the Commander in Chief of the Delaware State—

You are hereby Ordered, without further delay; To make Regular Returns to me of the Strength of Each and Every Company; in your Battalion. The Number, Order and Condition of the Arms & Camp Utensils, as also the dates of the Commissions or appointments of the Company and Staff-Officers.

You are also Ordered Immediately to secure, or Cause to be Secured, all Boats and Water-Craft whosoever within your Limits, in such manner, as to prevent any Inteligence being given to, or Intercourse with, the Enemy's Vessels—and

further, for that End, to Place a Constant Guard of Six Men, including a Subaltern Officer, at the Cross-Roads near Craiges Mill on that side next Dover—for the purpose, more Especially of Examining all travellers.

To Coll. William Rhodes Esqr.
of the 2d. Battn. Kent Militia
or in his absence, the commanding Officer.

CAESAR RODNEY
B. GENERAL

## ORDERS

Sir, You are immediately to proceed with the Regiment under your Command to the City of Philadelphia. Upon your Arrival at Philada. you are to apply to the Honble the Board of War for Arms & Accoutrements for your Regiment, and when obtained to proceed without Loss of Time and join the Grand Army of the United States unless otherwise ordered by his Excellency General Washington.

You are to take with you to Philadelphia Herdman Anderson, Drum-Major of the Delaware Regiment, who deserted, as is said, from the Regiment at the Head of Elk. William Grace a Soldier in said Regiment and deserted on his way to Carolina. Benjamin Moody, a Soldier in the Delaware Regiment, reported that last winter to have deserted to the Enemy, but made his Escape from them when Kniphausen came out to Springfield in the Jersey, and gave himself up.

When you get to Philadelphia, you are to report these men to the Board of War, and if they approve of it, as the Delaware Regiment is now in Carolina, you are to take them with you to Camp, in order to do Duty in your Regiment, and when you return to report them again to the Board. If the Board of War do not approve of this, they are requested to take such other Order with respect to them as may be thought best. You are however to make known to me what shall be done in the Matter.

I am yours &c.

CAESAR RODNEY

Wilmington, Augt. 9, 1780.
To Lieut. Colo. Henry Neill
Commanding the Regiment
from the Militia of this State

## WHIG BATTALION

A Return of the Officers and Soldiers of the Delaware Whigg Battalion present when the Prize Brigg Seymeter was Taken, Dec. 29th, 1777. And also of Collonel Thomas Duff's Battalion of New Castle County Militia, which was then Present.

| No. | Names | Rank | No. | Names | Rank |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | George Craghead | Lt. Col. | 21 | Matthew Jack | Private |
| 1 | James Black | Captn. | 22 | David Murphy | do |
| 2 | John James | do | 23 | Nicholas Campble | do |
| 3 | Thomas Watson | do | 24 | Andrew Boyd | do |
| 1 | Robert Montgomery | Lieutenant | 25 | Peter Truax | do |
| 2 | William Henderson | do | 26 | Samuel Willson | do |
| 3 | William Kenedy | do | 27 | John Hance | do |
| | John Clark | Ensign | 28 | Evan Evans | do |
| | James McCrorey | Adjutant | 29 | John Hathorn | do |
| | William Clark | Q. Master | 30 | John McMechen | do |
| 1 | David Clark | Q. M. Serj. | | | |
| 2 | William Willson | Serjant Maj. | | | |
| 3 | John McCannon | Serjant | | Thomas Duff | Collonel |
| 4 | David Cross | do | | William Boberson | Captain |
| 5 | Stephen Wilkin | do | | Benjamin Rothwell | Engisn |
| 6 | Abner Williams | do | 1 | Samuel Delaplaine | Serjant |
| 7 | Benjamin Boyd | do | 2 | Oliver Evans | do |
| | David Evans | Fifer | 3 | Robert Hughs | do |
| 1 | James Montgomery | Private | 1 | Jo. . . . . n Evan | Private |
| 2 | John Forsyth | do | 2 | J. . . . . ll | do |
| 3 | John Fulton | do | 3 | John . . . . . .s | do |
| 4 | Hugh Forsyth | do | 4 | Chas . . . . . | do |
| 5 | John McCombes | do | 5 | Thomas Is . . . . . | do |
| 6 | Joseph Ferguson | do | 6 | Nathaniel Rankin | do |
| 7 | Joseph Drummond | do | 7 | Andrew Anderson | do |
| 8 | George Gregston | do | 8 | George Peterman | do |
| 9 | Fredrick Ford | do | 9 | John Neubaker | do |
| 10 | William McMullen | do | | | |
| 11 | David Chandler | do | | Light Horse W. Bat. | |
| 12 | Allen Robenet | do | 1 | Henery Derby | Capt. |
| 13 | Robert Elles | do | 2 | Samuel Kirr | |
| 14 | John Justice | do | 3 | James Reed | |
| 15 | Fergus Clemence | do | | Col. Duffs Light Horse | |
| 16 | Jacob Roberson | do | 1 | David McCalmont | do |
| 17 | Daniel Lyon | do | 2 | Isaac Allen | do |
| 18 | Jessy Logan | do | 3 | John Raden | |
| 19 | William Boyd | do | 4 | Henry Senix | |
| 20 | Robert Craford | do | 5 | Thomas Barckley | |

Field Commissioned Staff Officers and Soldiers of the Delaware Whigg Battalion Commanded by Coll. George Craghead Esqr. in Quarter's when the Prize Brigg Seymeter was Taken Decr. 29th 1777.

1 Lt. Collonel 3 Captains 3 Lieutenants 1 Ensign 1 Adjutant
1 Qr. Master 7 Serjants 7 Fifer 1 Drummer 30 Rank & File
3 Light Horse

GEO. CRAGHEAD, Lt Col. D. W. B.

## THE WHIG BATTALION

Newcastle County Ss.
the State of Delaware

Personally Appeared before me one of the Justices of the peace of the said County, Michael McEntire Late a private in the Whig Batalion. Capt. Blacks Company, and made Oath in due form of law that Edward Smith of the Borrough of Wilmington Deceased, was a private in Capt. James Blacks Company in the Whig Batalion in the fall of the year one thousand seven Hundred and Seventy Seven——And that the bearer here of Edward Smith is one of the representatives of the Said Edward Smith Deceased. . . . . .

Sworn & Subscribed the 26th of December 1800.

Before
JOSEPH TATLOW

MICHAEL McENTIRE his X mark

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Newcastle County Ss.

Personally Appeared Before me one of the Justices of the peace of the said County Elleanor Tatlow late Elleanor Rankin Widow of Capt. William Rankin Deceased who being Sworn in due form of law on her Solemn Oath Saith, that her three children now living named Margaret Rankin now Margaret Homes, William & Thomas Rankin, are the respresentatives of the said Capt. William Rankin of Redlyon Hundred Newcastle County Afsd. And who was Capt. of one .of the Militia Companies in the Whig Battalion in the year one thousand seven Hundred and Seventy Seven.

Sworn & Subscribed the 29th of December 1800.

ELLEANOR TATLOW.

Before JOSEPH TATLOW

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Sir: Please to pay to Mathew Aiken the Dividend of the Prize Money which our Father Thomas Whitelock was intitled to as a private in Capt. Isaac Lewis Company Belonging to the Whig Battalion Commanded by Colonel George Craighead which was Stationed at New-Ark in the year 1777. & you will much oblige.

Your Humble Servt.

JAMES WHITELOCK
JOHN WHITELOCK

To
James Booth Esqr.
New Castle—
March 30th 1801.

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## THE WHIG BATTALION.

Christiana 9th October 1805

Sir: Please pay to David & Saml. Nivin or order the sum that may be due for Services or Prize Money to John Boggs as a member of the Whig Batalion and their Receipt shall be your sufficient discharge from

Your Obedt. Servt.

MOSA BOGGS
for JOHN BOGGS

James Booth
New Castle

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New Castle Ss.

I do certify that letters of administration on the Estate of Johathan Groves senior decd were granted unto Jonothan Groves Junr. upon the renounciation of the widow the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1789.

EVAN THOMAS REGR.

Apr. 17 1801

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Newcastle County Ss.

Personally appeared before me one of the Justices of the peace of the Said County, Hugh McGregor of Mill Creek Hundred who being Sworn in due form of law, on his Solemn Oath Saith, that William Carrol served as a private soldier in the Whig Battalion in Capt. James Black's Company in year 1777 in the place & Stead of the Deponent, And he further Declares before the sd. William Carrol went away from these parts, he made over by agreement before Evidence all his right, Title, and Claim, of his Share of wages or prize money due to him while in the sd. Battalion, And the said Deponent Doth further Declare that he Satisfied the said William Carrol before he went away from there parts, as Aforesaid, And the Deponent Claim it as his right due to him from the above Agreement and Satisfaction made as Afsd.

Sworn & Subscribed the 3d of April 1801.

HUGH McGREGOR

Before JOSEPH TATLOW

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Sirs Please to pay my Share of the Money Arising from the Whig Battalion to Robt. Montgomery and his Receipt Shall be your Sufficient Discharge for the Same and oblige me

Feb. 19th 1801

JOANNA LYONS

To Judge Booth Esqr.

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## THE WHIG BATTALION.

We the Subscribers Do hereby Trust and Impower Robt. Montgomery to Receve our Shares of the Money Arising from the Whig Battalion. which lay in Newark and Likewise to give Satisfactory Receipts for the Same. Witnesses our hands this 14th Day of January 1801.

SAML. CROSSAN
FERGUES CLEMENTS

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Sir if you please to pay my part of the Whig Battalion Money To James Thompson as he can Testifi that I was in his Company that he Belonged to and his Recpt shall be suffisant and a full Disscarg for the same and much oblige your Humb Servant.

ALEXANDER MOOR

Mr. James Booth Esqr. January 13th 1801.

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Sir if you please to pay my Part of the Whigh Batta. Money to James Thompson as he knows that I Belonged to his Company and his Recpt Shall be a Suffisant Discharge for the Same and Much oblige your Humbl Servant.

JOSEPH THOMAS

January 2d 1802
JAMES BOOTH Esqr.

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Sir if you Pleas to pay my part of the Whigh Battalion money to Mr. James Thompson and his Recpt Shall be good and a full Discharge from your Humbl Servant.

LEWIS MILLAR

Januar the 4th 1802
James Booth Esq.

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Sir As my Husband which was by name Evan Evans and formerly Belonged to what was Called the whig Betalion and By Information I understand that there is a small acknowledgement in your hands to be Distributed among those Individuals who Belonged to said Betalion therefore as my husband are Deceased and I am the only Surviving admr. of his Estate Please to pay to Charles Riley what

## THE WHIG BATTALION.

Ever may be coming to my husband as his Quota and his Receipt Shall be your Sufficient discharge in full for what Ever he Receives and your Complyance will much oblige your Hbl Servt

her
ELIZABETH X EVANS
mark

To Mr. JAMES BOOTH ESQR.
Newcastle . . . . . .
March 2d 1801

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Pincader March 19th 1801

Sir

Please pay to Matthew Aiken Esqr. my dividend of the Prise Money due to me as a private in Capt. Isaac Lewases Company, belonging to the Whig Battalion, Commanded by Col. George Craighead Esqr. and you will oblige Sir your Humble Sert.

ANDW. ALLISON

JAS. BOOTH ESQR.
NEW CASTLE

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Sir if you pleas to pay my Part of the Whigh Battalion Money to James Thompson he can let you know that I Belong to his Company and his Recpt shall be good for the full amount of what is coming me and much oblige your Humble Servant

WILLIAM FAIRES

Witness Present
JAMES FAIRES January 5th 1802
Mr James Booth Esqr.

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Sir As you have paid Oliver R. Howell that prise money that was Due to the Estate of David Howell Decd. You are justifiable in so doing and his recept Shall be your Discharge for the Same.

SARAH HOWELL EXC.

Mr. James Booth

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## LIST OF PRISONERS OF WAR.

Wilmington, April 4, 1778

Dear Sir,

By Capt. Norwood I send you thirty five prisoners of war agreeable to the list below, all British seamen and officers. You wrote me the jails were full, but I have no other expedient but to forward them to your care, as it would be precarious to keep them at this post or in this Government. I hope you will supply the party with provision for their return, and give Capt. Norwood all the despatch in your power, which will much oblige,

Your obedient humble servant,
W. SMALLWOOD

1. Hugh Congleton, 3d Lieutenant of the Roebuck
2. James Donavin, Mate of the Schooner Reed
3. Samuel Wiseham, mate of the same schooner
4. Windsor Donavin, 2d mate of the same schooner
5. Thomas Soltar, Sailor
6. Thomas Pusey, Marine
7. Thomas Lowe, Marine
8. Thomas Benny, Marine
9. Thomas Smith, Marine
10. William Chrutic, Sailor
11. John Fowler, do Roebuck
12. Thomas Maloney, do
13. Richard George, do
14. George Lacho,
15. William Ketterick, do
16. Walter Williamson, do
17. Walter Guthridge, do
18. Thomas Whitten, do
19. James Watkins, do
20. Thomas Brown, do
21. Edward Hongchurch, Sailor of the schooner
22. William Sprackett, do
23. Francis Carroll, do
24. John Mitchell, do died at Lancaster, 26th April, 1778
25. Joseph King, do
26. James Hamilton, do
27. John Richards, do
28. Richard Pierce, returned, being a soldier Col. Green's regiment
29. Benjamin Beames, Sailor
30. Dennis Coakley, do
31. Peter Adick, do
32. Peter Johnson, do
33. Charles Branson
34. John Thomas, Marine
35. Charles Kelley, Sailor

W. Atlee, Esq.

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## LIST OF PRISONERS OF WAR.

| | |
|---|---|
| ..... Dillworth, | Pilot |
| Lawrence Scallion, | Sailor |
| Gunnery Finnick, | do |
| Andrew Thompson, | do |
| Bartholomew Staves, | do |
| Samuel Sutton, | do |
| William Herrald, | do |
| John Scudmore, | |
| William Herton, | do |
| John Hurdie | do |
| Jacob Nesbit, | do |
| John Duvery, | do |
| Daniel Williams, | do |
| William Peachey, | do |
| Thomas Savory, | do |
| Black Rogers, | do |
| Peter Thompson, | Artificer |
| John P. Smith, | do |
| Robert Brown, | Sailor |
| John Warren, | deserted on the road |
| Hendrick Miller, | Artificer |
| Joshua Watson, | do |
| Abraham Hempton, | Sailor |
| John Nelson, | deserted on the road. |
| Frederick Williams, | Artificer |
| John Noverman, or Jno Houseman, | sailor |
| Ahauserus Van Clack, | Artificer |
| William Supper, | do |
| Peter Boyce, | do |
| Peter Crow, | Sailor |
| Frederick Winter, | do |
| John Berry, | do |
| John Marshall, | do |
| George Wilson, | |
| Mathias Tool, | do |
| James White, | do |
| George Baxter, | do |
| John Cook, | do |
| Patrick Lamb, | left sick behind |
| ..... Brown, | Sailor |
| John Houseman, Sen. | Artificer |
| Jonathan Strickney, | do |
| John Lefever, | Sailor |
| Jonathan Bedford, | Artificer |

41 in all, brought under the escort of Lieutenant McCannon, the 17 March, 1778.

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## ROBT. MORRIS, RICHARD HENRY LEE & WM. WHIPPLE TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Phil. April 25th 1777

Sir, By a letter lately recd from Mr. Purdy at Lewis Town, we learn that he has been pretty successful in collecting the goods which were saved from the ship Success lately blown up at the capes, & that he was waiting for the waggons which you were so obliging as to provide to send down for the purpose of carrying up their goods. We doubt not these waggons are gone forward & must beg leave to trouble you farther with this business. We request you will inform yourself of the situation of the Enemy's ships of war in the Bay, & should you find that those goods can be safely transported by water from your place or from Rhody Island, that you will have them put on board some craft, at either of the places, & sent up here as expeditiously as possible. Should this mode be dangerous, you will please order the waggons to proceed up to this city.

We know your zeal for the public interest will excuse the liberty we take in giving you this trouble & if at any time we can render you services in return you may command us freely, being, Sir, with much respt.

Your very humble servants,
ROBT. MORRIS
RICHARD HENRY LEE
WM. WHIPPLE

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## ROBT. MORRIS TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Phil. May 2nd 1777.

Sir,

Not meeting with an opportunity to send down the annexed letter soon as intended, we have employed Capt. John Hun to go down & get the goods shipped up; he will deliver you this letter & you will please to direct that all the goods be commited to this management, & give him such advice or assistance as may be found necessary.

On behalf of the Com'tee, I am Sir your most obed
humb Ser't
ROBT. MORRIS.

Received from Robert Purdy the under mentioned Articles which I promise to Deliver Safe to General Rodney as I recd. them. Lewis 2 May 1777.
Elijah Berry Capt.

225 Baynets
167 guns wanting Locks
154 do with Locks
1 Barren Pins marked 111
1 Box pins . . . . . %
1 chest . . . . . A B
1 Barrell Gun Lock . . . . . 11

12 Bales a 1.12 Marked . . . W
3 Bales Stockings md. P. S. 300. 300 156
3½ ps. canvass.
1 Small Trunk md. Geo. Ross
1 Trunk belonging to Capt. Anderson
7 Wagons in all

Sir above is all the cargo Saved of the ship Success. I hope to have the pleasure of Seeing you Monday Evening. until then

Sr. I am you most obt. humbl. Servt.
R. PURDY

General Rodney

## COMMISSIONS ISSUED TO OFFICERS

A Roster or List of Persons commissioned to divers officers, Civil and Military, by His Excellency Caesar Rodney Esqr. President and Commander in Chief of the Delaware State, with the Dates of their Commissions, viz.

May 12, 1778. William Patterson Junr. Esqr. to be Captain of an Independent Company of Guards to be raised in New Castle County.

Joseph Israel, to be first Lieutenant of the same Company.

John Crow, to be second Lieut. of the same.

Benjamin Stockton, a Warrant appointing him Commissary for the said Company.

John Casson, Esqr., to be Captain of a like Company of Guards to be raised in Kent County.

Benjamin Stout, first Lieut. & Andrew Barratt 2d. Lieut. of the same.

16th.—Cord Hazard, Esq., to be Captain of a like Company of Guards to be raised in Sussex County.

Samuel Derrickson, to be Lieut. of the same Company

25th. George Evans, Esqr. appointing him Lieutenant of New Castle Co. Henry Darby & Samuel Smith Sub Lieutenants of the said County.

Samuel West, Esqr., Lieutenant of Kent County.

Francis Manny & Benjamin Coombs Esqr. Sub Lieuts. of the same County.

Henry Neill, Esqr., Lieutenant of Sussex County.

Nathaniel Waples & Charles Moore Esqr. Sub Lieut. of the same County.

June 8—James Booth, to be Clerk of the Peace for New Castle County.

James Booth, to be Collector of the Customs for the same Co.

Henry Forster, Esqr. to be Lieut-Colonel of the third Regiment of Militia in New Castle County.

June 8, 1778. Issued a Commission appointing the following Persons Justices of the Peace of New Castle County, viz,—

David Finney–Thomas James–William Patterson–George Craghead-George Evans–John Lea–Robert Bryan–Evan Rice–Valentine Dushane–William Allfree-George Latimer–James Black–Isaac Lewis–Peter Hyatt–Joshua Clayton–William Clark–Henry Forster–and John Crawford.–

9—A Commission issued appointing Thomas McDonough, Esqr. Colonel of the third Regiment of Militia in New Castle Co.

10—To Thomas Collins Esqr. to be Brigadier-General of the Militia of Kent County.

Gunning Bedford Esqr. to be Colonel of the second Regiment of Militia in New Castle County.

Robert Bryan Esqr. to be Lieut.-Colonel of the same Regt.

George Latimer Esqr. to be Marshall of the Admiralty for the Delaware State.

## RESOLUTIONS OF PRIVY COUNCIL ON EXCHANGE OF MR. McKINLY

At a Board of the President and Privy Council of the Delaware State on Wednesday the second day of September 1778, at New Castle,

Present

His Excellency Caesar Rodney Esquire, President

George Evans,
Gunning Bedford,
Thomas McDonough,
George Latimer,
} Esquires, Members of the Privy Council.

The Board taking into Consideration the unhappy Situation of John McKinly, Esquire, late President of this State, captivated by a Detachment of the British Army in September 1777, at Wilmington, and now a Prisoner under a short Parole, to solicit his Exchange for William Franklin Esqr. late Governor of New Jersey; came to the following Resolution, to wit,

RESOLVED,

That it is the Opinion of this Board, That the said John McKinly, every since the Commencement of the present Contest between Great Britain and America, until his Captivity afsd., took a very active Part in Support of the Liberties of the latter, against the oppressive Measures of the former. That in the Execution thereof he fitted the several Offices of Chairman of the Committee of Inspection

and Observation for New Castle County, Coll. of a Battalion of Militia there, and Brigadier General, President of the Council of Safety, Speaker of the House of Assembly under the present Frame of Government, and lastly that of President and Commander in Chief of the State; and discharged the several Duties with attention Zeal, and Alacrity.

RESOLVED, therefore,

That the President do request the Delegates from this State in Congress to make immediate Application to that Honourable Body, That they would be pleased to take Order, in such Way as to them shall seem most proper, for the speedy Exchange of Mr. McKinly, as his public Services do certainly merit public Favour and Regard.

Extract from the Minutes of the Board,

JAS. BOOTH, Secy.

## ARRANGEMENT OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Colo. David Hall, | | Commiss. April 5th 1777 | | Vacancy Jany. 18-77 |
| Lt. Colo. Chas. Pope | | do | do | |
| Majr. Joseph Vaughan | | do | do | |
| Captn. | 1 John Patton | do | Nov. 30th 1776 | |
| | 2 Robt. Kirkwood | do | Decemr. 1st. | |
| | 3 James Moore | do | 2d. | |
| | 4 Enoch Anderson | do | 3d. | |
| | 5 Jno. Learmouth | do | April 5th 1777 | |
| | 6 Peter Jaquett | do | 5th | |
| Capt. Lieut. John Wilson | | Commissd. Decem. 1st. 1776 | | |
| Lieuts. | 1 John Corse | do | 3d | |
| | 2 John Rhodes | do | 4th | |
| | 3 Wm. McKennan | do | April, 5th 1777 | |
| | 4 Danl. Powell Coxe | do | 5th | |
| | 5 George Purvis | do | Dec. 3d 1776 | 2d Lieut. vacancy filled 14th Oct. 1776 |
| | 6 Paul Quenonault | do | April 5th 77 | 2d Lt. vacancy filled for 1st Jany. 27th 1778 |
| | 7 James Beattan | do | do 5th 77 | 2d Lt. vacancy filled for 1st Augt. 15 1778 |
| | 8 Henry Duff | do | do 5th " | 2d Lt. |
| Ensigns–1 | Caleb Brown | do | do 5th " | 2d Lt. |
| to Rank 2 | Jno. Hyatt | do | do 5th " | 2d Lt. |
| as 2d Lt. 3 | Jas. Campbell | do | do 5th " | Ensigns vacancy 21st May 78 2d Lt. |
| | 4 Caleb Bennett | do | do 5th " | do vacancy 15th Augt. 2d Lt. |
| | 5 Jos. Horseman | do | do 5th " | do vacancy 17th Augt. 2d Lt. |
| | 6 Elijah Skillington | do | do 5th " | do vacancy 7th Sept. 2d Lt. |
| | 7 Charles Kidd | do | do 5th " | do vacancy 7th do 2d Lt. |
| | 8 Edwd. Roche | | | |
| | 9 Thomas Anderson | | | |

Surgeon, Reuben Gilder
Mate, John Platt
Adjutant, George Purvis
Pay Master Edwd. Roche
Qr. Mastr. Thos. Anderson

N. B. Ginathan Harney, 1st Lieut. Jany. 13th 1776 Prisoner Augt. 27th 1776
Alexander Stuart, 1st Lieut. Novem. 28th 1776 do do
Resigned Neglected by the State in Promotion.

Return of non-commissioned officers and privates of the State of Delaware, serving in the Army of the United States, under the command of His Excellency General Washington, specifying the Corps they serve in—the expiration of inlistments, monthly, until the end of the present year, and annually afterwards to the end of the year 1782; together with the number engaged to serve during the war.

| Regiments | Periods at which Inlistments expire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | January | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | 1781 | 1782 | During the War | Total |
| Col. David Hall | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 334 | 334 |
| ‡Additional Corps of Infantry | . | . | | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 11 | 11 |
| *Cavalry | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Artillery none | | . | . | . | | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | | | |
| Total | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 345 | 345 |

‡In Additional Infantry are included Hazen's & Spencer's Regts. the former nine and the latter two "for the War".

*In the Return of Cavalry, in Major Lee's Corps, there are 29 Men, not included in this return, whose times of Inlistments are not known. JNO. STAGG. ASST. Adjt. Genl.

## THE 8th OR DOVER REGIMENT OF DELAWARE MALITIA.

Col. Thomas Rodney
Lt. Col. Nehemiah Tilton
Major John Clayton

Light Infantry

Captn. John Bullen
1 Lt. Simon W. Wilson
2 Lt. Jonathn. McKnat
3 Lt. Charles Nixon

Infantry

1 Captn. Richard Lockwood
1 Lt. Thomas Cheers
2 Lt. William Aliband
Ensign William Kirkly

2 Captn. John Gray
1 Lt. Thomas White
2 Lt. Thomas Davis
Ensign John Green

3 Captn. Thomas Hales
1 Lt. Thomas Wallace
2 Lt. Henry Gilder
Engisn Moses Jackson

4 Captn. William Morris
1 Lt. Edward Dyer
2 Lt. Bened't Brice
Ensign Armwell Lockwood

5 Capt. John Morris
1 Lt. Caleb Sipple
2 Lt. Daniel Boyer
Ensign Caleb Furbee Jur.

6 Captn. David Maxwell
1 Lt. Solomon Dill
2 Lt. Absolem Hutson
Ensign Isaac Verden

7 Captn. Wm. Meredith
Arthur Wheatly
John Fisher
Joseph Purden

## MUSTER ROLL OF THE NON COMMISSIONED OFFICERS DRUMMERS AND FIFERS AND RANK AND FILE OF THE LATE DELAWARE REGIMENT

Now the first Company in the Second Battalion of Colonel William's Regiment of Infantry serving in the Southern Army of THE UNITED STATES

| No | NAMES | CASUALTIES |
|---|---|---|
| | SERJEANTS | |
| 1 | Wm. Readen | on Guard |
| 2 | Moses Pharis | |
| 3 | George Collins | |
| 4 | Saml. Cross | |
| 5 | Thos. McGuire | |
| 6 | Wm. Maxwell | |
| 7 | Archbd. McBride | |
| 8 | Thos. Thompson | Sept 24th Joined |
| 9 | James Murphy | do do |
| 10 | Jonathan Jordan | 16th L. Inf. |
| 11 | Wm. Seymour | do do |
| 12 | John Eshom | Commd. D. State |
| 13 | Seth Brooks | 18th Commd. D. State |
| 14 | Hosea Wilson | do do |
| 15 | John Rowan | Wagon Master |
| 16 | Mitchel Kirkshaw | 16th Missing in Action |
| 17 | Patk. Dunn | present wounded |
| 18 | Mordecai Barry | Aug 16, Missing in Action |
| 19 | John Spencer | do do |
| 20 | Manuel Trayson | do do |
| | CORPORALS | |
| 1 | Elijah Houston | |
| 2 | Chas. Dowds | |
| 3 | Thos. Townsend | on Guard |
| 4 | Henry Rowan | |
| 5 | Patrick Deusy | Sept 24th Joined |
| 6 | James Corse | 24th Join'd |
| 7 | Nehemh. Nichols | 16th Infantry |
| 8 | Christr. Willett | do do |
| 9 | Thos. Nash | do do |
| 10 | John Roberts | 16th Resigned |
| 11 | Joseph Emerton | 2nd. Orderly Hosp. |
| 12 | Wm. Black | 16th Missing in action |
| 13 | Jas. Husbands | do do |
| 14 | Thos. Miller | do do |
| 15 | Jacob Furby | do do |
| 16 | Michl. Elwood | 2d deserted |
| 17 | Alexr. M. Donald | 3d do |
| | DRUMMERS | |
| 1 | James Dawson | |
| 2 | Wm. Lewis | |
| 3 | Thos. Gore | |
| 4 | Adam Towland | |
| 5 | Robt. Thompson | Commd. D. State |
| 6 | Edwd. Robinson | 16th Missing in Action |
| 7 | David Miller | 2d Deserted |
| | FIFERS | |
| 1 | John Johnson | |
| 2 | Wm. Skinner | |
| 3 | Wm. Furbush | |
| 4 | Jno. Hackney | |
| 5 | Joseph Staten | |
| 6 | John Jackson | Commd. D State. |
| | PRIVATES | |
| 1 | Benjn. Bennett | |
| 2 | Henry Willis | |
| 3 | Jas. Winwright | |
| 4 | Joseph Culver | |
| 5 | Francis Williams | on Guard |
| 6 | Wm. Lingo | |
| 7 | George Hill | |
| 8 | Jeremh. Brown | on Guard |
| 9 | Chas. Wharton | |
| 10 | Dennis Slaven | absent without leave |
| 11 | Jno. Middleton | |
| 12 | Michl. Garven | |
| 13 | Thos. Flinn | |
| 14 | Jenkins Evans | |
| 15 | Jacob McKinly | |
| 16 | James Demar | |
| 17 | William Ake | |
| 18 | Jacob Burton | absent with leave |
| 19 | John Cook | |
| 20 | Casa Hall | |
| 21 | Wm. Wright | |
| 22 | William Simpson | |
| 23 | John Turner | |
| 24 | John Towland | |
| 25 | Thos. Derrick | |
| 26 | Matthew Helford | |
| 27 | John Weily | |
| 28 | David Elliss | |
| 29 | Robt. Streeps | on Guard |
| 30 | Saml. Long | do |
| 31 | Nathan Bowen | do |
| 32 | Arthur Hazard | absent with leave |
| 33 | John King | do do |
| 34 | Richd. Taylor | do do |
| 35 | Jacob Cork | do do |

| No | NAMES | CASUALTIES |
|---|---|---|
| 36 | Anthy. Delarose | |
| 37 | Wm. Willis | |
| 38 | Patk. Coleman | |
| 39 | Danl. Lowber | |
| 40 | Wm. Murphy | |
| 41 | Richd. Treasure | on Guard |
| 42 | Wm. Holt | |
| 43 | John Preston | |
| 44 | Joshua Shehorn | |
| 45 | Neal McCann | |
| 46 | Richd. Coffield | |
| 47 | Thos. Saxton | |
| 48 | Geo. Clifton | |
| 49 | Jonathan Cook | |
| 50 | James Kimmy | |
| 51 | John Phillips | on Guard |
| 52 | Danl. Murry | do |
| 53 | Thos. Gordan | |
| 54 | Chas. Freeman | |
| 55 | John Cullen | |
| 56 | Geo. Knock | Inl. 5 Jan. 78 Desertd. Joined 10 July 80. |
| 57 | John Barns | |
| 58 | James Brown | |
| 59 | John McCabe | |
| 60 | Saml. Dodd | |
| 61 | John Benson | |
| 62 | John Andrews | |
| 63 | John Castle | |
| 64 | Levin Culver | Sept 1st Joined from Desertion. |
| 65 | Stephen Culver | do do |
| 66 | John Cornall | |
| 67 | John Conner | Sept 24th Joined |
| 68 | Wm. Perry | do do |
| 69 | Zedekh. Ridgway | do do |
| 70 | Geo. Stewart | do do |
| 71 | Wm. Stanton | do do |
| 72 | John Peterson | do do |
| 73 | Saml. Bass | do do |
| 74 | Edwd. Morriss | do do |
| 75 | Cors. Hagney | do do |
| 76 | Robt. Miller | do do |
| 77 | Fredk. Holden | do do |
| 78 | Joseph Sapp | do do |
| 79 | Jehu Royall | do do |
| 80 | Thos. Clark | do do |
| 81 | Wm. Guttery | do do |
| 82 | Thos. Mason | do do |
| 83 | Andw. Dixon | do do |
| 84 | Jas. Cook | do do |
| 85 | Wm. Wallace | do do |
| 86 | Isaac Williams | do do |
| 87 | Thos. Clemons | do do |
| 88 | Wm. Slay | do do |
| 89 | Saml. Nichols | do do |
| 90 | Wm. Barker | do do |
| 91 | Isaac Landsley | do do |
| 92 | Jno. McKnight | 20th Lt. Inf. |
| 93 | Wm. Hagans | do do |
| 94 | Stephen Bowen | do do |
| 95 | William Keys | do do |
| 96 | John Miller | do do |
| 97 | John Brown | do do |
| 98 | Andrew Pollard | do do |
| 99 | Wm. Drew | do do |
| 100 | John Stewart | do do |
| 101 | Peter Cross | do do |
| 102 | Thos. Walker | do do |
| 103 | Jas. Moons | do do |
| 104 | Joseph Forgason | do do |
| 105 | Joseph Preston | do do |
| 106 | Eli Dodd | do do |
| 107 | James Turner | do do |
| 108 | Timy. Layfield | do do |
| 109 | Thos. Holdsten | do do |
| 110 | Chas. Conolly | do do |
| 111 | Robt. Hasty | do do |
| 112 | Jno. Watkins | do do |
| 113 | Joshua Brown | do do |
| 114 | Robt. Downs | do do |
| 115 | Levin Pointer | do do |
| 116 | John Service | do do |
| 117 | Neal Livinston | do do |
| 118 | Thos. Rhodes | do do |
| 119 | John Harriss | do do |
| 120 | Jas. Wilkinson | do do |
| 121 | John Todd | do do |
| 122 | John Pemberton | do do |
| 123 | Thos. Collins | do do |
| 124 | Richd. Curipool | do do |
| 125 | Richard Harriss | do do |
| 126 | John Lahea | do do |
| 127 | Levin Lecatt | do do |
| 128 | Patrick McCurdy | do do |
| 129 | John McGill | do do |
| 130 | David Young | do do |
| 131 | Dennis Dempsy | do do |
| 132 | Jno. Hatfield | do do |
| 133 | John Mitchell | do do |
| 134 | Wm. Walker | do do |
| 135 | Patrick Burk | do do |
| 136 | Jas. Neal | do do |
| 137 | Ebenzr. Blackshire | do do |
| 138 | James Scott | do do |
| 139 | John Roberts | do do |
| 140 | Cors. Grimes | Artificer |
| 141 | Thos. Harper | do |
| 142 | Wm. Donaldson | Commd. D. State |
| 143 | Samuel Wooden | do do |
| 144 | Levin McGee | do do |
| 145 | Whittn Clifton | do do |
| 146 | Robt. Stafford | do do |
| 147 | Robt. Timmons | do Baskinridge Hosp. |

| No | NAMES | CASUALTIES |
|---|---|---|
| 148 | Wm. Smith | Aug. 27th Command. Philada. |
| 149 | James Dobson | Commd. Richmd. Factory V. State |
| 150 | Alex Clark | do Threshing Sept. 5th |
| 151 | John Clifton | orderly for a sick Man Sept. 30th |
| 152 | John Carr | Sick D. State |
| 153 | Peter Records | do Jersey State |
| 154 | Eliakim Parris | 12 July Adkin River |
| 155 | Saml. McWilliams | left sick, ye Sept. 30th |
| 156 | Henry Norwood | Hillsborouugh hosp. Sept. 20th |
| 157 | John Gorman | do do July 1st |
| 158 | Hamilton ONeal | do do Sept. 2d |
| 159 | Mark Beckett | do do Sept. 10th |
| 160 | Wm. Plowman | do do do |
| 161 | Peter Lee | do do do |
| 162 | Joseph Fitsjarald | do do do |
| 163 | John Fopless | Pluckimin Hospl. |
| 164 | Jesse Timmons | do do |
| 165 | Wm. Flemons | Sick Yellow Springs |
| 166 | Wm. Allcorn | do Baskinridge hosp. |
| 167 | Benjn. Jones | Hillsborough Hosp. 10th |
| 168 | Wm. Dixon | Sick Petersburg Hosp. |
| 169 | Martinus Sipple | do at Charlotte |
| 170 | Moses Nichols | Aug. 1st Waggooner |
| 171 | Wm. Kelty | at Petersburg Waggone |
| 172 | John Curry | Aug. 16th Missing in Action |
| 173 | Jas. Hannon | do do |
| 174 | Benjn. Thompson | do do |
| 175 | Wm. Lewis | do do |
| 176 | Thos. Tool | do do |
| 177 | Mitchel Lecatt | do do |
| 178 | Levi Jackson | do do |
| 179 | Wm. Hook | do do |
| 180 | Jonathan Ireland | do do |
| 181 | Wm. Orton | do do |
| 182 | Saml. Lattimore | do do |
| 183 | Thos. Harriss | do do |
| 184 | Henry Nesbit | do do |
| 185 | George Hardy | do do |
| 186 | Michl. Docherty | do do |
| 187 | Andw. Daley | do do |
| 188 | Hugh Flemon | do do |
| 189 | John Gasford | do do |
| 190 | David Willoby | do do |
| 191 | Timy. Kelkenny | do do |
| 192 | Zadock Tucker | do do |
| 193 | Barthw. Adams | do do |
| 194 | John Noble | do do |
| 195 | Johnson Fleetwood | do do |
| 196 | Solomon Price | Missing in Action |
| 197 | Richd. Moore | do do |
| 198 | John Davis | do do |
| 199 | David Ward | do do |
| 200 | Wm. Fish | do do |
| 201 | Fredk. Vanlip | do do |
| 202 | Alexr. Slavin | do do |
| 203 | John Rowley | do do |
| 204 | Saml. Miller | do do |
| 205 | John Bentley | do do |
| 206 | Jas. Carson | do do |
| 207 | John Hill | do do |
| 208 | Wm. League | do do |
| 209 | Rodger McCormick | do do |
| 210 | Wm. Peach | do do |
| 211 | James Marsh | do do |
| 212 | Joseph Muscord | do do |
| 213 | George Lee | do do |
| 214 | Wm. Burch | do do |
| 215 | Littleton Pickron | do do |
| 216 | Hermon Clark | do do |
| 217 | Purnal Truitt | do do |
| 218 | Joseph Lovett | do do |
| 219 | Edwd. Conner | do do |
| 220 | Christr. Crook | do do |
| 221 | Wm. Little | do do |
| 222 | Patk. Mooney | do do |
| 223 | Levin Hicks | do do |
| 224 | Thos. Mattingly | do do |
| 225 | Nathan Bowen | do do |
| 226 | Wm. Pimm | do do |
| 227 | Zadock Morriss | do do |
| 228 | Alexr. Dunlap | do do |
| 229 | Danl. Handly | do do |
| 230 | John Hyway | do do |
| 231 | Wm. Newell | do do |
| 232 | Richd. Davis | do do |
| 233 | Saml. Pyle | do do |
| 234 | Fredk. Reed | do do |
| 235 | Adam Johnson | July 25th Deserted |
| 236 | Geo. Malashaw | do 16th do |
| 237 | Jas. Crumpton | do 20th do |
| 238 | John Chick | do 27th do |
| 239 | Danl. Daley | do 25th do |
| 240 | Ellis Flowers | 10th Aug. do |
| 241 | Edwd. Hallywell | 2d do do |
| 242 | John Blake | do do |
| 243 | Kinly Hazlett | 7th Septr. |
| 244 | James Redman | do do |
| 245 | Richd. Hudson | do do |
| 246 | John Nelson | do do |
| 247 | David Davis | 14th Augt. Died |

Return of the Officers and Privates belonging to the State of Delaware and Attached to the Corps hereafter specified; under the Resolution of Congress of the 15th of March 1779.

CAPTN. NOAH NICHOLAS' COMPANY ARTIFICERS

| NAMES | RANK | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Peter Lawson | Private | Kent | Dover |

COLO CHARLES HARRISON'S REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| John Adams | Bombadier | N. Castle |

MAJOR HENRY LEE'S PARTIZEN CORPS

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Allen McClane | Captain | Philip Reily | Private | Stephen Green | Private |
| John Eddonfield | Serjeant | Jabez Emory | do | Caleb Levick | do |
| Matthew Kusick | do | Eleazor Crane | do | Andrew Manering | do |
| Robert Farrell | Q. M. S. | Perry Scott | do | Benja. Jackson | do |
| Joseph McClane | Private | Charles McMonigal | do | Ledford Berry | do |
| Benjamin Molster | do | Willm. Lovegrove | do | Thomas Finn | do |
| Jeremh. McDade | do | Ezekiel Clarke | do | John Dickson | do |
| Hugh McDade | do | William Madden | do | Jacob Humphrys | do |
| William Cox | do | Daniel Dewees | do | John Manering | do |
| John Vandergrift | do | Henry Kelly | do | James Songo | do |
| Phillip Whelon | do | Thomas Wells | do | | |

COLO. MOSES HAZEN'S REGIMENT

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| William Popham | Captain | N.Castle | Edward Quigley | Private | N. Castle |
| William Sharp | Corporal | do | John O'Bryan | do | Middtwn' |
| John Gillespie | do | Newark | James Anderson | 1st. Lieut | Wilm'gtn |
| John Blaney | Private | Wilm'gtn | Andrew Campbell | Private | New Castle |
| Hugh Dougherty | do | do | James Lloyd | do | Duck Crk. |
| Angus O'Neal | do | do | | | |

War Office Feby. 23 1780.

I Certify that the foregoing return of the officers & men of the State of Delaware, attached to the Corps therein specified is a true Copy taken from the original return of the said Corps, filed in this Office, under the resolution of Congress of March the 15th 1779.

BEN STODDERT, Secy.

## RETURN OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT COMMANDED BY COLO. DAVID HALL

| APRIL 10th 1779 | OFFICERS PREST. FIT FOR DUTY | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | FEILD | | | COMMISSD | | | | | STAFF | | | | | NON. COMMISSD. | | | | | | RANK & FILE | | | | | | Wanting to Compleat | | | Alterations Since last Return | | | | | | | | Joined |
| COMPANIES | Colonel | Lt. Colonel | Major | Captain | Capt. Lieut. | 1st. Lieuts. | 2d Lieuts. | Ensigns | Adjutant | Pay Master | Qr. Master | Surgeon | Mate | Serj. Maj. | Q. M. Serjt. | Drum Maj. | Fife Maj. | Serjants | Drums & Fifes | Prest. fit for duty | Sick Present | Sick Absent | On Comn'd | On Furlough | Total | Serjeants | D. & Fifes | Rank & file | Dead | Discharged | Desected | Sent to Ye Invalids | Promotes | Sergeants | D. & fifes | R. & file |
| Capt. Pattens Infantry | | | | 0 | | | | | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 28 | 3 | | 7 | 7 | 45 | 2 | 2 | 11 | | | | | | | | | |
| Colonels | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 18 | 2 | | 3 | 5 | 26 | | | 28 | | | | | | | | | |
| Lieut. Colonels | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 | | 21 | 1 | | 6 | 2 | 30 | 0 | 3 | 26 | | | | | | | | | |
| Majors | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | 11 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 5 | 26 | 1 | 1 | 30 | | | | | | | | | |
| Cap. Kirkwoods | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 | | 13 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 4 | 27 | | | 29 | | | | | | | | | |
| Cap. Moores | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 | 1 | 14 | | 1 | 3 | 5 | 25 | | | 31 | | | | | | | | | |
| Cap. Willsons | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | 13 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 26 | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Cap. Learmonths | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 15 | | 1 | 3 | 5 | 34 | 1 | | 32 | | | | | | | | | |
| Cap. Jaquetts | | | | | 1 | | 2 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 12 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 34 | | | 32 | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | 0 | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 8 | 144 | 16 | 7 | 44 | 44 | 255 | 4 | 6 | 220 | 3 | 13 | 3 | | | 1 | | 1 |
| Sick Present | | | | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Vacant | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

All mustered out being long sick

primd. to serj. maj. Vice, Dail, Cockran, Vol.

| ABSENT OFFICERS | PLACE WHERE | REASONS FOR | TIME OF ABSENCE | WHERE SICK | Sick Ab. | On Com | WHERE ON COMD. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Col. Hall | Del. State | on Furlough | 5th Oct. '78 | Robesons Fm | 2 | 1 | At Bonam Town |
| Colo. Pope | Present | In Arrest | | Danbury | 1 | 3 | At Morris Town |
| Major Vaughan | Del. State | on Furlough | 28th Nov. 78 | Somerset | 1 | 4 | Waiting on Absent Officers |
| Capt. Patten | Prest. Commdg. the Regt. | | | N. Brunsw'k | 1 | 2 | on the Q. M. G. Guard S. |
| Capt. Kirkwood | Del. State | on Furlough | 16th Feby. | N. Windsor | 2 | 3 | on the clothier Gen'l Guard |
| Capt. Moore | Long Island | Prisoner War | | | | | |
| Capt. Anderson | Resign'd 1 March 79 | | | | | | Armourour at Philada |
| Capt. Learmouth | Del. State | on Furlough | 17th Jany. | | | 1 | do at Pluckimin |
| Capt. Jaquett | do | do | 26th Octr. 78 | | | 1 | At Continental Village |
| Capt. Willson | do | do | 17th Jany. 79 | | | 1 | Stocking weaver D. State. |
| Lieut. Rhodes | Del. State | Wounded | | | | | |
| Lt. McKennan | Prest. Actg. Pay Master | | | | | 44 | |
| Lieut. Cox | Morrisstown | Months Comd. | | | | | |
| Lieut Purvis | Prest. | Adjutant | | | | | |
| Lieut. Quenault | Del. State | on Furlough | 13th Jany. | | | | |
| Lieut. Brown | do | do | 21st Jany. | | | | |
| Lieut Bratton | Resign'd 11th March 79 | | | | | | |
| Lieut Hyatt | Long Island | Prisoner War | | | | | |
| Lieut. Duff | Del. State | on Furlough | 21st Jany. | | | | |
| Lieut. Campbell | do | do | 5th March | | | | |
| Lieut. Bennett | do | do | do | | | | |
| Lieut. Skillington | Del. State | on Furlough | Apr. 1st, 79 | | | | |
| Lieut. Roche | P. Master Del. State | do | 16th Feby. | | | | |
| Lieut. Anderson | Pres. Quarter Master | do | 1st March | | | | |
| Doct. Platt | do | do | | | | | |
| Serjt. Casualties | Drum & Fife Casulties | | | | | | |
| 5 on Furlough | 1 Sick at N. Windsor | | | | | | |
| 2 on Command | 1 at Monmouth on Comd. | | | | | | |
| | 2 on Furlough | | | | | | |
| 7 | 4 | | | | | | |

N. B. The Casualties of the Serjeant, Drummers & Fifers added to those Present fit for duty & wanting to compleat mounts to the Establishmt.

GEO. PURVIS, LIEUT. & ADJ. D. R.

## REMONSTRANCE OF OFFICERS

Camp Middlebrook, May 16th 1779.

Honoured Sir,

We the Subscribers now Officers in the Delaware Regt. beg the favour of your returning our thanks to the Honble the House of Assembly for the gratuity already confer'd on us. and also of informing the Honble House that unless such provision be shortly made that will inable us to continue in the service, we have unanimously agreed to withdraw ourselves therefrom on the 20th day of July next, and in justice to our country, and our own reputations we give this notice that they may appoint others to fill our present stations;—

In a Remonstrance dated in October 27th 78 we gave them our reasons why such provision was necessary, therefore it needs not a repitition; as their own reflections must be sufficient if they only consider the cause that made it requisite for to add to the allowance made by former Assembly for the support of its members whilst on publick Service; and as the stipulation of our pay was prior to that affixed allowance, we are equally affected by the extravagances of the times, and the depreciation of the Continental Currency, and undoubtedly our pay now is as insufficient to support us as officers, as that allowance was to maintain them as Gentlemen and Members; for experience has fully convinced us that such additional support was and is absolutely necessary, and only wish to have their views extended to us who are acting for the Publick, and in a station that renders us as liable to expense, as those gentlemen that are hardly drawn from the sight of their farms;—

We likewise can assure the Honble House that it is not through the least dislike for the cause in which we are ingag'd, nor for any lucrative views that we have come to the above resolution but are reduc'd to it by real necessity, and only ask to be put on equal terms with Officers from other States; for if past Services entitled them to the favour, we undoubtedly have a right to a similar claim; and should we be obliged to withdraw ourselves from the Service of our Country, it will be with the greatest reluctance,

We are Sir with due Respect

Your most Obedient Humble Servants

J. PATTON CAPT.
ROBT. KIRKWOOD CAPT.
PETER JAQUETT CAPT.
JOHN WILSON CAPT.
WM. KENNAN LIEUT.
DANIEL P. COX LIEUT.
GEORGE PURVIS LIEUT & ADJT.
PAUL QUENONAULT LT.
HENRY DUFF LIEUT.
C. P. BENNETT LIEUT.
JOSEPH HOSMAN LIEUT.
EDW. ROCHE LIEUT & Q MASTR.
THOS. ANDERSON
REUBEN GILDER SURGEON
CALEB BROWN LT.

## THE DELAWARE STATE TO CHARLES RIDGELY, Dr.

To Services done to sundry Persons in the Continental Waggon Service at Dover, as follows viz:

| | | | | |
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| 1779 | | | | |
| September 20th | | To xy Piclo Pector Febril 24/ | James Morris | £ 54..... |
| | | To zy Guth Pector 9 15/ | To Empis ad Nuc 5/ 9 do | 18..... |
| January | 15 | To laying open Michael ..... | Finger | |
| | 16 | To Dressing do 17/ To Dressing | do | |
| | 19 | To Dressing do 20/ To Dressing | do | 60..... |
| | 21 | To Dressing do 22/ To Dressing | do 28/ To Dressing do | |
| February | 18 | To Phlebot £ 11:9 3/9 To Emet £ 9 3/9 | Henry Harris | 20: 5 |
| | 19 | To in Puls Laxat 6/ In Spicie £ 4:7:6 | do | 18: – ; |
| | | | | £ 170: 5:– |

Dovr. April ye 4th 1780 I do Certifi that the above service was do. . for the above mentioned Men under my Direction.

JAMES COAKLEY QM.

## A MEMORIAL FROM PRISONERS

To His Excellency Caesar Rodney Esqr. President Captain General and Commander in Chief of the Delaware State &c &c and to the Legislative Council and Assembly of the same. . . . . .

The Memorial of us the subscribers prisoners on Long Island sheweth, That your Memorialest have endured a very long and irksome Confinement Subject not only to those disagreeable and humilating sensations inseperable from a state of Capitivity, but finally find ourselves unfortunately left to struggle with all the calamities of indigence and want—a whole year hath now elapsed since any of us have Received any Supplyes, and the sums then handed us barely suficient to pay our necessary debts and furnish us with the then absolutely necessary artickles of Clothing, and Major Robert Hodgson and Captain Silas Snow have received only the small sum of twenty five pounds Each Since their captivity, being considered by Congress as Citizens, they not being taken in actual service.

We, in conjunction with the rest of our fellow prisoners on Long Island have lately made repeated applycations to the Honourable the Continental Congress for releif without receiving any redress, thus circumstanced your unfortunate Captive officers belonging to the Delaware State find ourselves under the necessity as out last resort of laying our unhapy Situation before you, and earnestly intreat your aid and assistance in releaving or at least allevating our present complycated distresses. We trust we have hitherto supported ourselves with a patience and preservance becoming the Soldier and Cityzen, and that the same line of Conduct will Continue to mark our Character in future. We however on the present occasion cannot forbear mentioning our uneasyness and great anxiety at the painfull and teadious length of more than two years Captivity scantily supplied, and altho we have the most perfect Confidence booth in the wisdom and humanity of the powers by which our relief by way of Supplyes depends, yet we humbly take oc-

casion to mention that amidst the great multiplicity of important business to be transacted we fear our unfortunate situation hath not been attended to in such a manner as our fond wishes led us to expect, we are led to make this applycation as all of our fellow prisoners have made, and are making like applycations, to their several States and some have been fortunate in receiving Supplyes allready, from like applications. This our situation we submit to your feelings and without enlarging farther have the Honous to be with great esteem and respect for you, and the most firm attachments and duty to our Country your most Humble and obediend Servants &c—

May the 26th 1780

ROBERT HODGSON
JAMES MOORE
SILAS SNOW
JAMES ANDERSON
JOHN HYET

## MUSTER ROLL OF THE RECRUITS ENLISTED BY LIEUT. DANL. P. COX, FOR THE D. REGT. MUSTERED BY COLO. FRENCH BATTLE, FROM FEBY. 4th UNTILL MAY 30th 1780.

| DATE OF ENLISTMTS. | NAMES | TERM OF ENLISTM'TS. | CASUALTIES |
|---|---|---|---|
| Feby. 4th 1780 | James Dawson | War | |
| Aprl. 20th 1780 | Joseph Fitzgarrell | War | |
| May 13th 1780 | Luke Dyer | War | |
| May 27th | James Cooke | War | |
| Aprl. 10th 1780 | Wm. Barker | War | |
| May 13th 1780 | Nathan Bowen | War received to serve during the war in the room of Nathan Arnett soldier in the D. Regt. by order of Colo. David Hall. | |
| May 11th 1780 | John O'Bryan | War received to serve in the room of Gove Clanyiett soldier in Carolina Troop who has been deserted and apprehended by me. | |

F. BATTELL M. Mastr.

## ROSTER

A Roster of Persons appointed to take Care of the Continental Buildings or Stables erected in the different Parts of this State with the Dates of their Warrants. July 8, 1780.

John Bullen to take care of those erected at Dover.
Isaac Carty Esqr. do erected at the Cross Roads.
Wm. Millan do erected at Cantwell's Bridge.
Solomon Maxwell do erected at Christiana Bridge.
Abijah Phillips do erected at Wilmington.

A Roster of Persons appointed Issuing Commissaries at the different Posts, with the Dates of their warrants.

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|---|---|---|---|
| 1780 July 7. | Samuel Johnston, | Issuing Commissary | at the Cross-Roads. |
| 8. | Thomas North | do | at Dover. |
| 10. | Solomon Maxwell | do | at Christiana Bridge. |
| 10. | Abijah Phillips | do | at Wilmington. |
| 15. | Joshua Williams | do | at Cantwell's Bridge. |

Account of The Men Furnished By the Companies in the Eastern Battalion July 10 Day 1780—

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|---|---|---|---|
| Capt. Peter Murphy Company. | John Strafford<br>John Chambers<br>John Vezey | Capt. George Polk Company | James Williams<br>John Williams |
| Capt. Joseph Waples Company | John Waples<br>Constantine Mariner<br>John Brady<br>Jesse Williams<br>Williams Hopkins | Capt. Thoma Groves Company | William Conwell<br>Jacob Addison<br>Nathaniel Bradford |
| Capt. Wilm. Delaneys Company. | John Tam<br>Robert Hall<br>Jacob Nottingham<br>John Coulter | Capt. John Sheld. Darmon Company. | Daniel Raoch<br>Thomas West<br>William Hopkins<br>Williams Collins<br>William Mustard |
| Capt. John Collins Company. | Noble Tull<br>James Jones<br>Frazer Gray | Capt. Rhoad Shankland Company | William Coulter<br>Major Brumley<br>John Fleming |

David Hall Colo. of the Lotrance Battalion in Sussex County in the Delaware State.

## ROSTER

Roster of the Officers commissioned by His Excellency Governor Rodney in the Regiment of Delaware Militia appointed to serve in the Army of the United States until the first of Novemr. 1780—with the Dates of their Commissions.

July 8, 1780. Henry Neill Esqr. Lieut. Colo. Commandmant
James Mitchell Esqr. Major

## CAPTAINS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| July 8. | Wm. Moody, of New Castle Co. | |
| 10. | Simon Wilmer Wilson of Kent. | |
| 11. | Patrick O'Flynn | New Castle. |
| 12. | Rhodes Shankland | Sussex. |
| 13. | Charles Nixon | Kent |
| 14. | Nathaniel Hayes | Sussex |

August 2d, Hugh McCracken—3d. George Smith—4th. Wm. McClement—5th Wm. Moore.

LIEUTENANTS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| July 8. | Thos. McClintock | New Castle |
| 10. | William McClements | Kent |
| 11. | James Glasgow | New Castle |
| 12. | Samuel Derrickson | Sussex |
| 13. | John Venn | Kent |
| 14. | William Moore | Sussex |

Augt. 2d. Joseph Enos—4th Lucas Stidham—5th Jacob Irons, 7th Benjamin Warren.

ENSIGNS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| July 8. | Hugh McCracken. | New Castle |
| 10. | Benjamin Warren | Kent. |
| 11. | Benjamin Allrich | New Castle |
| 12. | Jacob Irons | Sussex |
| 13. | James Frazier | Kent |
| 14. | William Newbold | Sussex |

Augt. 2d. Samuel Moore—4th Peter Jaquett—5th John Piper—7th John Howell.

July 10. John West, Quarter-Master
James Tressam Adjutant.

Augt. 5. Robert Wilcox, Surgeon.

THE HON'BLE THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY
DELAWARE STATE

Dover October 27th 1780

Gentlemen,

The Letter from Brigadier General Gist to his Excellency, being laid before the House, renders it useless for me to mention the Business on which I've returned to the State, and one from George Graghead Esqr. dated the 26th, sufficiently proves, the Deficiency of Clothing, due the Officers of the Regiment—

The disagreeable Situation of the Officers (Prisoners in the Field) must be obvious to every Gentleman of the House, when I assure them, that in our unfortunate Defeat to the Southward, our Baggage was lost, not one saving even a single shift of Clothes. In this Condition I left them expecting an immediate Relief from the State; none has yet been sent, owing to a want of Money, to make the Purchases; the Sooner this necessary Article could be procured, the Sooner Suffers will be relieved

I am, Gentlemen in behalf of
the Officers of the Delaware Regt.

Your very Hble Serbt.

W. McKENNAN.

## TO THIS EXCELLENCY THE PRESIDENT OF THE DELAWARE STATE.

Met in Council at New Castle January 25th Anno. Dom. 1781.

The Submissive Petition of us the Subscribers, Inhabitants of Whiteclay Creek Hundred in the County of New Castle and State afforsaid humbly sheweth—

That whereas in the year 1777, your Petitioners found themselves agrieved in the electing the Commissioned Officers in the upper End of Whiteclay Creek Hundred aforesd. as We apprehended that the Election was not held according to the Militia Law Enacted at that time for the regulating such Transaction, as there was neither lawful Notice given, nor the Person appointed by Law presiding in it. Whereupon We, together with some others who for, the same Reasons, thought themselves imposed on, immediately enrolled ourselves in another Company, where we have given punctual Attendance ever since, and when the safety of our County required it we testified our Loyalty by a chearful Obediance in actual Services. Now Sir we are fined for none attendance in Whiteclay Creek Company aforesd. and we think it very Grievious, and Oppresive, that after we have given lawful Attendance in one Company, we should be fined in another, AND Now Sir, we appeal to your Excellency and beg that we may have our Fines Taken off, and Liberty to remain in the Company we are in until a lawful Election may be had for Commissioned Officers in our own Hundred, and we your humble petitioners shall pray.

JAS. RUSSELL
WILLIAM McCALL
JAS. ANDERSON
JOHN GORDY
JOHN KERR
SAMUEL KERR
JAMES KERR

## BILL OF NATHANIEL WAPLES

Dr. The State of Delaware in account with Nathaniel Waples one of the Sub: Lieutenants in Sussex County appointed in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the said State for Establishing a Militia, Passed the 15th. Day of May 1778

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| 1778 | |
| June & July | 25 days |
| Aug. Sept. & Oct. | 21 days |
| Nov. | 2 " |
| 1779 & 1780 | 11 " |
| | 59 days |

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|---|---|
| To one month & 29 days as above at 60. Dolls pr month | 44. 5. 0 |
| To 5 rations pr day at 5 Dolls pr month for each is | 18. 7. 6 |
| To 59 days forrage for a horse at 3/9 pr day | 11. 1. 3 |
| | 73.13. 9 |
| Deduct 9d pr day on acct. of Forage | 2. 4. 3 |
| | 71. 9. 6 |

## A RETURN OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT, NOW SERVING IN SOUTH CAROLINA FROM THE LAST MUSTER ROLL OF DECEMBER 1780. JUNE 18th 1781.

| DATE OF COMMISSION | NAMES | RANK | CASUALTIES |
|---|---|---|---|
| Jany. 4th, 77 | David Hall | Col. | Sick Delaware State |
| Decemb. 14th, 79 | Joseph Vaughan | Lt. Col. | Prisoner of War |
| do do | John Patten | Maj. | do do |
| Decemb. 1st, 76 | Robt. Kirkwood | Capt. | |
| Jany. 4th 77 | John Learmonth | do | Prisoner of War |
| do do | Peter Jacquett | do | |
| Octb. 15th 77 | John Wilson | do | Recruiting D. State |
| April 27th 80 | John Rhodes | do | Dead Charlestown 1st Novmbr. 80 |
| do do | Wm. McKennan | Capt. Lt. | Comd. D. State |
| Jany. 4th 77 | Danl. P. Coxe | 1st Lt. | Recruiting D. State |
| Octbr. 15th 77 | George Purvis | do & Adj. | Prisoner of War |
| Janry 26 78 | Paul Quenonault | do. & P. Mas | Command D. State |
| Sept. 7, 78 | Hennery Duff | do | Prisoner of War |
| March 1st, 79 | James Campbell | do | |
| Janry, 30, 80 | Caleb Bennett | do | Recruiting D. State |
| April 27, 80 | Joseph Hosman | do | do do |
| Sept. 7th, 78 | Elijah Skillington | 2d Lt. | Prisoner of War |
| do do | Chas. Kidd | do | Recruiting D. State |
| Sept. 10, 78 | Edwd. Roche | do & P. M. | Prisoner of War |
| do do | Thos. Anderson | do & Q. M. | |
| Octb. 27th 79 | Stephen McWilliams | do | Prisoner of War |
| | John Vaughan | Volunteer | Wounded |
| April 5th 77 | Reuben Guilder | Surgeon | |
| do do | John Platt | S. Mate | |

R. KIRKWOOD Capt. Comd. Del. Regt.

John Cazier Serjt. Maj. Robt. Oram Q. M. Serjt. Timothy Cook Fife Maj.

| Rank | Serjts. | Corps. | Drums | Fifes | Privates |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Present | 6 | 4 | 1 | 9 | 83 |
| In Hospital | 2 | 3 | 1 | | 38 |
| D. State | 7 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 10 |
| Absent | | | | | 4 |
| Prisoners | | | | | 9 |
| Deserted | | | | | 9 |
| Dead | | | | | 18 |
| Total | 15 | 9 | 5 | 6 | 169 |

N. B. James Dobson Richmond Factory Absent.
Wm. Smith Comd. B. D. Kalb's Baggage Phila. do.
Robt. Timmons Jersey do.
Dennis Slavin Waiting on Mr. King do

## ROBBERY OF THE FRENCH TREASURY

New Castle County SS.

John McGee. Tent £ 1000.

Sub. Conditone That said John shall personally be and appear at the next Court of Oyer & Terminer to be held at New Castle for the County of New Castle and Give Evidence on behalf of the Delaware State against all such Persons as may be charged before the sd. Court either as Principals or Accessaries in Robbing the French Treasury at Wilmington as far as his Knowledge.

Taken June 7th 1783.

Coram. JOHN MAGEE

David Finney—

New Castle County SS.

Delaware State— June 6th 1783

&

Robert Hambleton
Christopher Yost
James Garrison
John Thallwell
John Hill
Humphrey Jonston
Patrick Murdock

Taken Before
Geo: Graghead

Tent each £500:0:0

Condition that each of them be and appear at the next Court of Oyer & Terminer to be held at New Castle for said County and then and there give Evidence in behalf of said State in a cause wherein Martain Deleney Ritchard Dowdle, Jas Clark and Henery Laler is accused with Robbing the French Treasury in the Burrough of Wilmington and not depart Court without Leave—

JOHN THELWELL
JAS. GARRETSON
HUMPHREY JOHNSON
P MURDOCK.
JOHN HILL
CHRISTOPHER YOEST
ROBT. HAMILTON

## IN CONGRESS, APRIL 19, 1777

It being represented to Congress by the Delegates of Maryland that there is imminent Danger of an Insurrection in the Counties of Somerset and Worcester, and that the Insurgents may be joined by disaffected Persons in the County of Sussex in the State of Delaware, and Application being made by the said Delegates for a Continental Battalion to be placed in the County of Somerset to overawe and quell the Insurgents.

Resolved, That it be earnestly recommended to the Legislative or executive Authorities of the State of Delaware and Maryland forthwith to apprehend & remove all Persons of influence or of desperate Characters within the Counties of Sussex, Somerset and Worcester who have betrayed or manifested a Disaffection to the American Cause, to some remote or secure Place or Places within their respective States, there to be secured without any Person having access to them, unless by License first obtained from such civil or Military Officer as the Government of the respective States shall think proper to appoint for that purpose; To take away the Fire-Arms of all such of the Inhabitants of the Counties above mentioned as have not hitherto manifested an Attachment to the Cause of America, excepting such in the Counties of Worchester and Somerset in the State of Maryland as may have complied with the Proclamation issued by said State in the month of February last, the said Arms to be disposed of by the respective States as shall be deemed most conductive to the General Weal—To enact Laws appointing Commissioners in each of the Counties above mentioned, whose Business it shall be to make Inventories, and to take Charge of the personal Estates of the Persons so removed, and to receive the Rents arising from their real Estates, in order that the same may be appropriated as a Fund for their Maintenance till the Government of their respective States shall otherwise direct; and vesting the said Commissioners with full and adequate Powers to enquire into, detect and defeat, all Plotts, or Conspiracies formed in the respective Counties against the Liberties of America.

And for facilitating the expeditious Execution of the above Resolutions Resolved, That the Governor of the State of Maryland be authorized to retain the weakest Continental Batalion raised in the State of Maryland till further Order of Congress; and that it be recommended to the executive Authority of the State of Maryland forthwith to embody three hundred of the Militia of the said State, and to the executive authority of the State of Delaware one hundred of their Militia, the said Militia to co-operate with the Battalion of the Continental Troops, to obey the Orders of the Officer commanding the same, and to continue in Service so long as the joint Authorities of the States of Delaware and Maryland shall think necessary.

BY ORDER OF CONGRESS,

JOHN HANCOCK, Presidt.

## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Gentlemen:

I herewith send you some Resolutions of the Honble. Congress of the 19th Ulto transmitted to me by the President, recommending Measures to the Legislative & Executive Authorities of this State, & the State of Maryland, to avert the imminent Danger of an Insurrection in the Counties of Somerset & Worcester in the State of Maryland, & to prevent their being joined by disafected Persons in the County of Sussex in this State and to enact Laws appointing Commissioners to take charge of the Estates of such as may be removed—In consequence whereof, with the Advice of the Privy Council I wrote to some principal Gentlemen in the County of Sussex & to the Commanding Officers of the Militia adjacent to Worcester County, desiring them respectively to make the most speedy & strict Inquires respecting the Danger apprehended from Sussex County, & that they wou'd as soon as possible, let me know the result In answer to which I have been informed by those Gentlemen severally that the Inhabitants of that County are very quiet & that they imagined the Suspicions to them was not well founded, save one of those Gentlemen who refers me to be informed by Mr. John Clowes a member of the House of Assembly with whom I had no opportunity to converse on that Subject, but from whom you can much better immediately receive that Information.

JNO. M'KINLY,

10th May 1777.

## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Gentlemen.

In pursuance of your Resolution of the 12th of last Month I together with the Privy Council did appoint John Thompson, Thomas Collins, & John Cook Esquires to go into the County of Sussex, for the purposes in that Resolution expressed; in consequence whereof I received, the Evening before last, a Report in writing, signed by two of the afores'd Gentlemen, whereupon I convened the Privy Council Yesterday, & laid the same before them, & now, with their advise, I herewith send you a Copy of that Report—

Since the last Sitting of your Honourable Assembly I received some Resolves of Congress to be laid before you—One of those Resolutions, of the 29th. of Apr last, recommends the adjustment of the Accounts for recruiting the Continental Battalion of this State, that the same may be transmitted to the Treasury Board—another of those Resolutions, of the 12th, of May last, recommends to the Legislature to exempt from military Duties all Persons who are immediately concerned in the Business of the Post Office—& another of them, of the 19th. of the same Month, recommends that the Legislature shou'd make Provision by Law for marching the Militia out of the State, when the Service shall so require it—

JNO. McKINLY,

June 5th. 1777.

## COPY OF REPORT

To His Excellency John McKinly Esquire President & the Honourable Privy Council of the Delaware State—

The Subscribers being (together with John Cook Esq.) appointed by an Order of the 17th. of May Instant, to go into the County of Sussex & make diligent Enquiry into the present Disposition of the Inhabitants thereof, and in case they shou'd discover any treasonable Practices in Agitation by any Person or Persons to report the same forthwith—

DO therefore beg leave to represent, that agreeable to instructions from your Excellency, & in obedience to the Order Afores'd we set out for Sussex, arrived on the Twenty first & continued there until the Twenty ninth Day of this Instant & upon the best Information we cou'd receive, & such observations as we had an opportunity of making are induced to believe that a considerable part of the Inhabitants of that County are unfriendly & disaffected to the present Constitution of Government in this State,and to the Independency of the United States in general. That a Criminal Intercourse has been kept up by the disaffected in that place with the British Ships of War, by means of which Intelligence from time to time has been given, & frequent Supplies of Provisions afforded to the declared Enemies of this State—That however painful the Task of representing the Conduct of our Fellow Subjects in a point of view so very disagreeable, yet we humbly conceive that we cou'd not consistent with the Regard due to truth, the Duty we owe to our Country, & upon this Occasion to your Excellency as first Magistrate withhold the Information of what to us appear Facts that may very much concern the Peace & future Welfare of this State

JOHN THOMPSON
THOS. COLLINS

Kent County May 30th, 1777

I do certify that the above is a true Copy of the Original Report of the Commission for enquiring into the Disposition of the Inhabitants of Sussex County &c

JAS. BOOTH Secy.

## LETTER TO THE PRESIDENT OF CONGRESS

Lewes June 24th. 1777

Sir.

Justice to our Country, and the obligation we are under to the Honorable Congress, we conceive make it our duty at this time to inform them of the unjustifiable practices carry'd on by numbers of the inhabitants of this County, who have ever declar'd themselves from their whole line of Conduct since the Commencement of the present Contest with Britian, Enemies to the American Cause, and in open violation of the Laws, & Constitution, of this State in particular, still continue to keep up a Criminal intercourse with the enemies Ships of War now lying in Delaware Bay, and supply them with all kinds of provisions that our County affords, and so bold are they now grown in this iniquitous Trade, that they fish and fowl together in common along the Shore. The enemy it is said are also recruiting Men very fast among them, Sixty Men we are told from the upper part of this County have lately gone on board the Enemies Ships, and are to have liberty

to choose their Officers: certain it is that many have gone from the different parts of the County, some of whom we well know—

The President of the Delaware State, with the advice of his Privy Council, in May last, sent Commissioners from the Counties of New Castle and Kent, to Enquire into the state of this County, and order'd them to make report of any Treasonable practices they might be able to discover Committed by any of the Inhabitants against the Laws thereof, which Commission after remaining some time among us, on returning did give a state of the County in writing, a copy of which is here inclosed. Great expectations were formed by the well affected here from the candour and integrety of the Gentlemen appointed on this occasion, that some measures would be adopted by the Assembly who were to sit in a few days, to prevent for the future such pernicious practices; but contrary to our most sanguine hopes they adjourned to the end of the year without doing anything to put a stop to this Criminal intercourse. It may be said in answer to this, that by a Law of the Delaware State passed the twenty second of February last, it is made Treason to give aid, comfort, or assistance to the Enemy, but experience has since that time fully shown, that the whole force of that Law has been altogether evaded, by filling the Civil Offices of Government here almost in every instance, with none but such as have rendered themselves notorious for their opposition to the Independence of this State, and every measure adopted for the preservation of our Common Rights.

Within this week past a scheme has been discovered carrying on by some of the wretched Junto here, which if not an immediate stop put to, must prove very injurious to the United States. One Simon Kollock of this County, who last fall went on board the Enemies Ships, it is said has lately been on shore and brought with him Seventy Thousand Pounds in Counterfeit thirty Dollar Bills, and has engaged some of his accomplices to purchase Cattle with them (the High Sheriff of this County appears to be a principal) supposed to be for the use of the Enemy, and altho some of the Bills has been detected in this Town, not a single step has been taken by the Civil authorities to bring the perpetrators of this Villany to Justice. From the whole face of things as they appear at this time, we have not the least reason to doubt, that if the Enemy were to gain the smallest advantage over the Army of the United American States, and the English Fleet appear on our Coast, that there would be a general rising in favour of the British King and his forces: under these alarming apprenhensions we can only look up to Congress under providence for protection and relief, and that in such manner as they in their Wisdom shall think most effectual.

The Bearer hereof Major Henry Niell who goes Express is a Gentleman of undoubted veracity, well acquainted with the present state of this County, and can give a fuller detail of those matters than can well be Circumscribed within the bounds of a letter.

We have only to add that we have the Honor to be Sir

Your most
obedient and very
Humble servants

DAVID HALL
HENRY FISHER
WILLIAM PEERY
JOHN CLOVES

## IN CONGRESS NOV. 14TH 1777

RESOLVED, That Mr. President write a letter to the Honble Thomas McKean Speaker of the House of Assembly of the State of Delaware requesting him to exert his utmost Endeavors effectually to prevent the disaffected Inhabitants of that State from furnishing the Enemies Fleet or Army with Provisions or Supplies of any kind; and if he shall be of opinion that the strength of the well disposed People is not sufficient for the Purpose above mentioned that he inform Congress thereof, and what additional it may be necessary to send, for effectually preventing the Enemy getting Supplies from the Delaware State—And that Mr. Speaker be informed, a Representation in Congress from that State, is immediately wanted.

Extract from the Minutes

CHAS. THOMSON Secy.

## CEASAR RODNEY TO PRESIDENT OF CONGRESS

Dover April the 24th. 1778

Sir—

There is a matter I intended, but neglected to mention in my other Letter today—On Tuesday the fourteenth Instant I got information that about One hundred and fifty Insurgents under the Command of one China Clow Were Armed and Assembled on the Western side of this County near the borders of Maryland—I, as soon as possible Collected and sent about one hundred and forty of the Militia of this County, under the Command of Lt. Colo. Pope of the Delawares, against them,—The Insurgents had built a Fort which the Militia surrounded on the Thursday night following but Mr. Clow and his gang, hearing of their approach, fled—The Militia burnt the Fort and secured all the stolen Effects in and about it and returned—I then fitted out a number of Horse-men, since when many of them have been taken and others surrendered to the number, in all of about fifty, about twenty of whom being single men, are sent off with a recruiting party of the Delaware Regiment to enlist or do worse so that with what the Maryland Militia have done, this infernal set are, I believe, broke up, and I hope to hear in a few days the villain Clow is taken.

I am Sir
Yr. Most Obedt.
Humbl. Servt.

CAESAR RODNEY

P. S. They increased very fast, and I believe, if they had not been opposed very suddenly and with spirit they would have become formidable in a little time

To President of Congress

## EXAMINATIONS FOR TREASON

Baker Johnson of Sussex County on Delaware Husbandman being brought before me William Killen Esq. Chief Justice of the Delaware State this 26th.Day of September Anno Domini 1777, as charged with aiding and comforting certain Enemies of the said State, and being duly, by me examined touching the Premises saith as Followeth viz.

That he and his son Samuel Johnson and David Davis were at the Bay a fishing some time about the 10th. of August last past, that in the night time they were taken by some of the Men of Wars men and carried on board the Cammilla a Twenty gun Frigate—That they kept them all close confined between Decks Till the Comadore arrived—That they were then discharged and permitted to come ashore—that he engaged Jonas Edenfield & Isaac Stedham (who were there in a boat and had been dealing with some of the other ships for salt Rum and molasses) to carry them home—that the night being dark and wett they put ashore at port Penn and was there Taken by other Malitia—That Jonas Edenfield & Isaac Stedham said in the presence of this Examinent that they had been on board and purchased salt Rum & Molasses, for which they paid money to the men of Wars men—

BAKER JOHNSON

William Killen

David Davis of Sussex County on Delaware Husbandman brought before me and charged as afores'd the Day and Year afores'd

Says in substance the same as the above—

William Killen

Branson Lofflin of Sussex County Husbandman brought and examined before me Afores'd the Day and year afores'd—

Says in Substance the same

William Killen

Littleton Lofflin of Sussex County on Delaware Labourer brought and examined before me, the Day and year afores'd

Says in Substance the same

William Killen

### ADDITIONAL EXAMINATIONS IN SUSSEX COUNTY

Robert McKey
William Hudson
Ahab Clendaniel
Philip Conaway

Foster Dulavan, Jr.
William Collings
William Hall

Avory Conwell
George Morris
Rice Pritaman

## INDITMENTS FOR TREASON

### PRESSLY ALLEE AND SIMON VAN WINKLE

Kent County, SS

The Grand Inquest for the State of Delaware, and the Body of Kent County aforesaid, upon their Oath do present that PRESSLY ALLEE late of the same County, Husbandman, and SIMON vanWINKLE late of the same County, Sadler, being Members of the said State and owing Allegience to the Government thereof, not having the Fear of God before their Eyes but being moved and seduced by the instigation of the Devil, as false traitors intending the said Government to Subvert, and subject the same to the Domination of the King of Great Britian, on the Seventh day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy-seven, at Duck Creek Hundred in the County aforesaid did with divers other false traitors (to the Grand Inquest adforesaid unknown) Maliciously and traitorously meet, propose, consult, conspire and agree to raise an Insurrection and Rebellion for the Purpose aforesaid, and for the more effectual completing and fulfilling the said treason at the day and place aforesaid, as false Traitors, did, with the other false Traitors to the Grand Inquest unknown, being so aforesaid traitorously assembled together, maliciously and traitorously levy War and Rebellion against the said State and in a hostile manner, with Guns, Pistols, and other Instruments of War, did march etc. etc.

### WILLIAM BURROWS, JAMES BARCUS & SAMUEL HATFIELD

Kent County SS.

The Grand Inquest for the Delaware State and Body of Kent County aforesaid, upon their oath do present, that William Burrows, James Barcus and Samuel Hatfield late of Kent County aforesaid Husbandmen, being members of the said State, and owing Allegiance to the Government thereof, not having the Fear of God before their Eyes, but being moved by the Instigation of the Devil, as false Traiotr, intending the said Government to subvert the same to the Domination of the King of Great Britian, the Fifteenth day of April in the year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and Seventy eight, and at divers other days and times as well before as after at Duck Creek Hundred in Kent Co aforesaid, did with other false Traitors (to the Grand Inquest unknown) traitorously meet, propose, Consult, Conspire and agree to raise an Insurection and Rebellion for the Purpose aforesaid, And for the more effectual completing and perfecting the said Treason at the Day aforesaid and at divers other days and Times as well before as after at the Place aforesaid, did traitorously raise and retain several Men (to the Grand Inquest unknown) to take up Arms and levy War against the said State for the purpose aforesaid, And that the said William Burrows, James Barcus and Samuel Hatfield, with the other Traitors to the Grand Inquest unknown, being so as aforesaid traitorously assembled together at the time and place aforesaid did traitorously procure great Quantities of Arms, Amunition and Warlike Instruments, and did form and Compose an Army of the Members of the said State, in order to wage War against the same, and at the time and place aforesaid did malitiously and traitorously levy War and Rebellion against the said State, and in a Hostile Manner did March through several Places of the County aforesaid, and seize the Goods

and Chattels of the Peaceable Inhabitants of the said State, taking from them Guns and other Warlike Instruments for carrying on their Traitorous Purpose aforesaid, against the Duty of their Allegiance, against the Peace and Dignity of the said State and against the form of an Act of General Assembly of the said State, in such Cases lately made and provided &c.

NICH'S VAN DYKE
Prosecutor for the Delaware State

A true Bill
JOHN DILL Forman

## JOHN BRINCKLE

Kent County, SS.

The Grand Inquest for the Delaware State, and the Body of Kent County aforesaid upon their Oath do present. That John Brinckle of Kent County aforesaid, yeoman, being a Member of the said State, and owing Allegience to the Government thereof, not having the fear of God before his Eyes, but being moved and seduced by the instigation of the Devil, as a false traitor intending the said Government to subvert, and to subject the said State to the Domination of the King of Great Britain, the 10th. day of October—in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Seven, and at divers other times and places as well before as after, at Little Creek Hundred in Kent County aforesaid—did with other false traitors (to the Grand Inquest unknown) traitorously meet, propose, consult, Conspire, agree to aid and comfort divers Subjects of the said King, then Enemies of the said State being. And for the more effectual completing and perfecting the said treason, on the day aforesaid, at the place aforesaid, did procure and take on board a certain Sloop-built Vessel then and there lying and being, the said John Brinckle, on board the said Vessel, then being, and then and there having the Command and direction of the said Vessel, a large quantity of Indian Corn, and the said corn did carry in the said vessel aforesaid to some Ships and other sailing Vessels then belonging to the said King of Great Britain and lying in the river Delaware near the town of New Castle, and afterwards, to wit, the twentieth day of October aforesaid, at Delaware River aforesaid, maliciously and traitorously did sell and deliver etc. etc.

## EXAMINATION OF JOHN BRINCKLE

The examination of John Brinckle of Kent County on the Delaware, Husbandman—taken before me John Baning Esq., one of the Justices of the Peace for the Delaware State the 24th day of May Anno Domini 1778.

The said John Brinckle being charged before me with the Commission of High Treason against the said State Viz. in adhering to the King of Great Britain and certain other enemies of the same State; He, the said John Brinckle did upon Examination by me the day aforesaid, confess that he hath held a Correspondence and carried on a trade and commerce with the Enemies of the United States of America, Contrary to the Duty of his Allegience; and against the form and Effort of an Act of General Assembly of the Delaware State aforesaid, in such case made and provided, And further saith not

JOHN BANING.

## OTHER INDICTMENTS FOR TREASON IN KENT COUNTY

List taken from Docket

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| Isaiah Wharton Jr. | 1782 | William Sapp | 1782 | Benjamin Stockley | 1782 |
| John Marim | do | Ephraim Townsend | do | Benjamin Kees | do |
| Samuel Murphy | do | Samuel Milcham | do | Woolsey Burton | 1780 |
| Joseph Meeks | do | Andrew Lukey | do | James Rench | 1779 |
| William Lindsey | do | Robert Robinson | do | Samuel York | 1872 |
| Moses Pearson | do | Thomas Morris | do | | |

## EXAMINATIONS

### GEORGE TRUITT

August 11th, 1780

Sussex County Delaware State

George Truitt Volantarily Appeared before me the subscriber, Delivered up his Arms and Confesseth, That Jonathan Hemmons told his father that he Expected there would be a Call for them to go to the men at Black Camp, to which his Father Answered that he nor none of his should go to them.

On Sunday following the 6th inst. a son of Charles Williams came to their house and said he was sent to tell them that they must go to old Mr. Messix, that some people was there and they wanted all the people about there to meet them on which he went to Mr. Veaches who said the times was bad he was an old man and his Levey two high but he would pay Rather than have disturbance he then went home his Father came from Church and said he did not like their going well, but if the rest of the people went they should go Either on one side or the other his Father said that some men went by the Church going to Clows after dinner he and his brother went to Messix where they found 7 or 8 men who said they did not like it well but would stay till morning, Munday morning there came in a number of men, about 60 who stayed till he returned from McLains where he had breakfast and then was ordered by Wm. Dutton to march did not know where but he supposed it was to the Black Camp, they marched got down about 2 hours by sun where they found about 120 men under arms the whole body then moved to an old field over a mill then back over the mill and about 3 miles to another old field there they Encamped, and his Father came at noon seting and asked where Jess and John his brothers was he went and found them, and his Father ordered them home that they should not stay for some had already gone home, &c. on which they with their Father Set of home they arrived at John's early took a nap and got home at noon on Tuesday.

JOHN CLOWS GEORGE TRUITT

### JESSE TRUITT

Sussex County Delaware State

August 115th. 1780

Jesse Truitt voluntarily appeared before me the subscriber delivered up his Arms and Confesseth that on thursday the 3d. inst he thinks he heard Jonothan

Hemmons tell his Father Sam'l Truitt the People down at the Black Camp Desired assistance, he then went to draw cyder and heard no more till Sunday he was at Ceder Creek Church and saw some men at Maxfields he supposed going to break up the black Camp after his Return home his mother told him a boy had been there from Charles Williams who said they, him and his brother was desired, go to old Messix's on which after Dinner they went, to Mr. Messixes and took their guns—at George Messex where he arrived after dark he found about 10 men, he attended to nothing that they said nor knoweth what was talked about, during his stay which was part of the night, he lodged under a tree in Messix's field while he stayed, at day he went to the House and cant tell what they were then Concluding on, he went to Thos. Macklains got his breakfast, Returned found the men still there and others that had come in, the men was ordered by Wm. Dutton to march but did not say where to, he asked where they were going to march to, they could not tell him, he however marched with them, they made very little halts until they came to an old field Sun 1½ hours high he dont know whose field it was, but there they found he supposeth about 120 men under Arms, he knoweth not who the men was, but heard they were there to defend themselves if any body came after them, he heard them talk of making of but did not know for what, on which they marched of to Tindals, where they Encamped, father came there about Moon down and told them to go home, on which he and his Brither and Father set of from camp and got home about noon on Tusday

JOHN CLOWS JESSE TRUITT

## JOHN RILEY

Sussex County Delaware State

August 10th, 1780

John Ryley now under guard of General Dagswoerth's Militia being Examined before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace for the Delaware State, Sayeth that George Messix Jur. and Izaah Johnson came to his house on Fryday the 4th. Inst and told him that they wanted Nock down the Act which made a poor man pay as much as a Rich man, in the way of hiring men to go to Camp and that word had come from the Black Camp that the Whigs was distressing people and taking away their living; to pay their fines, &c. and that the people was to meet at George Messicks that day to conclude whether they would go to black Camp or not, and that at the Black Camp they had plenty of Arms Amonition and provitions and about 100 men, he had heard of the Black Camp some day before, but dont remember who told him, Saterday he Stayed at home heard no News Sunday he heard by some persons whose names he cant Remember that Captain John Collings was Raising an Alarm to go to frame's, or to stay; at his (Collings) own home and that the People desired to meet at George Messix and that some men had come from Black Camp to Messix Viz; Peter Sharp and.....
who said they were well riged at Camp with Guns and Amunition; he went to Messix, (tho against the opinion of his wife) where he stayed all night, with about 15 or 20 men, Viz; Wm. Dutton Sago Potter, Wm. Ratlief Izaah Johnson And others, Munday, about three hours son their Company increased to about 70 men,

the Common Conversation was that the Whigs was Mobing the Torys, and catching and swaring of them, to be true to the State and finally taking away all the Torys Livings &c he was Eneasy perswaded them not to go but they would go and he went with them, they all marched on foot had but 45 or 46 guns but very few cartridge boxes and but little Amunition as he would git but one charge which he put in his gun, they continued their march without haulting except to eat a mouthful in the woods, to the Black Camp, where they arrived at about two hours son in the evening they found there about 75 men Armed, on Parade, the outposts and Centerys he knoweth not the number of, Dutton's Company grounded their Arms went to the branch and drank where we heard these Officers Wm. Dutton Wm. Ratlief and Sago Potter say that they were deceived all they had heard was false that they were all ruined and wished they had never marched and that they would March Back next Morning—Potter advised sending a flag in the morning with proposals of Peace Tusday very Early a flag was sent the Contents thereof he dont know, as he left the Camp Very Early in Company with Luke Clindaniel Zadock Loftland, and Ahab Clindaniel he got home about 12 o'clock, very much fateaged, Wednesday went to Levy Messix took up his flax Messix went home with him and about Midnight they were both made Prisoners by Jesse Hall and his party

JOHN CLOWS JOHN RILEY

## OLIVE SMITH

Sussex County Delaware State

August 12th. 1780

Olift Smith under guard of General Dagsworthy's Militia being Examined &c Sayth that on Munday last he saw Mitchell Overland Paris Chiffins Charles Ricords Jr. John Darters Saml. Calaway and Lafferty Hamerman armed all except Calloway they said they had been at Carl Polks after his powder, Overland offered him an assotiation to sighn which he Refused Overland then told him to set his name to it and if they did not go out with him they should fare as bad as those that went out against him he then signed it through fear, Overland ordered him to put down Liven and Henery Waring names—Henery Waring was present and Refused to have his name down, but on Overlands order he put it down, after which he went home and hath not seen Overland since nor knoweth not where he is now.

JOHN CLOWS OLIVE SMITH

## NEHEMIAH TATMAN

Sussex County Delaware State

August 12th, 1780

Nehemiah Tatman under guard of General Dagsworthy's Militia being Examined before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace for the Delaware State, Sayeth that on Sunday Mary Morris the wife of George told him that Every one was going of to the Wars Soon after he saw a Stranger a little way from George Messix who said Every one must go to the one side or the other he went to Messicks

on Munday in com'y with Thos. Dannels when he got to Messix there were but a few people there he thinks some had marched before; he stayed awhile and then marched with 19 men to John Messix where the Company disarmed 9 men, they then marched to where Dutton and his men was; Stayed all night, next morning Tusday they marched back to a branch, where they stayed till 2 afternoon, then marched home, where he remained until yesterday he then Delivered him self up to Wm. Owens and Party.

JOHN CLOWS NEHEMIAH TATMAN

## LEVIN VINSON

Sussex County Delaware State

August 12th, 1780

Livin Vincent under guard of general Dagsworthy's Militia being Examined before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace for the Delaware State Sayeth,

that on Saterday at Singing Schol at George Messix Wm. Ratclief told him that he had been at the Black Camp, and they had 4 or 5 hundred men in midling good fix, therefore wanted all the Torys to Joyn and fight against the whigs, because Taxes was two high, and no man could Live by Such Laws, on which they all concluded to go, some of the Young men spoke against it but the older ones insisted on their going Wm. Ratlief John Ross & Jonathan Hemmons urged them hard to go, We then went home and the next morning Major Townsand, son of William Came and said they must go, he went munday morning after Wm. Dutton had marched his Company he stayed there till more men came in then marched with 19 men John Ross Director, in their march they disarmed 9 men took 7 guns from them then marched to Samuel Tindals old feild there Joyned Wm. Duttons Company on Tusday morning, News came that they were in bad circumstances, Capt. Dutton then ordered them to march of, to Jester Kenneys where they stayed till afternoon then marched home for fear of being taken, where he Remained till yesterday was then taken Prisoner by James Pollocks Party, he had a little gun which he took from William Daniels on his way to Messicks.

JOHN CLOWS LEVEN VINSON

## ZEPHARIAH PARIMORE

Sussex County Delaware State

August 13th. 1780

Zephariah Parimore under guard being Examined before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace for the Delaware State Sayeth,

That Job Smith told him to go to G. Messicks on fryday 4th. and Henry Hudson told him to go on Saturday 5th. and Sunday he met William Truitt Isaac Short and Truitt Dunaho they said he had best go in or he would be ruined, on that he went, stayed a little and went home, and on Munday his mother told him if he did not go in they would take Every thing he had from him, he went in marched

with the Comp'y of 21 men to Tindals where they had the Prisoners he saw the black Camp men did not count them, Stayed all night and Returned home next day

his
JOHN CLOWS ZEPHARIAH X PARIMORE
mark

## TOWNSEND CARLILE

Townsand Carlile Surrendered and Examined &c

Sayeth, that on Saterday the 5th, instant heard he dont know of whoom that they must all go to the Black Camp to try and Repeal the hard tyth Acts for the Poor could not have them he went to George Messicks Munday Morning some person gave him a gun there, he dont know what orders were given however the men marched he went with them to an old feild he suposeth about 10 miles from Messicks there saw some men under Arms who he took to be friends he heard they had a fight and saw Robert Young wounded, he with the whole Company Returned home next morning

JOHN CLOWS TOWNSAND CARLILE

## MAJOR WARRING

Sussex County Delaware State

August 9th. 1780

Major Warring Under Guard of Gen'l Dagworthy Militia Being Examined before me one of the Justices of the Peace for the Delaware State Sayeth,

That on thursday the 3rd instant Burrell Jones, Robert Elingsworth and Nathaniel Steal, Came to his house and wanted his Boys to go and help them, that there was a gathering to Stand in definace against the Tax Laws &c, he Refused to let them go, they were sent for 2 or 3 times the same day, the next morning very Early he went to the Salt works and did not Return till 12 at night when his wife told him that 14 armed men Came that day, and took the boys away he never went to Banums Camp to git the boys back and knoweth not how they proceeded till yesterday the boys Returned home and said they were breaking up, on which he dam'd them and said I told you not to go a step till I came home, now you have done it, now you have made your fortunes hav'nt you, dam you I have a great mind you shall never come into my house again—on which they went away he knoweth not where

his
JOHN CLOWS MAJOR X WARRING
mark

## HENRY WARRING

Sussex County Delaware State

August 12th. 1780

Henery Waring under guard being Examine before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace for the Delaware State,

Sayeth, that on munday last in the afternoon he with Olift Smith was going to Joseph Records in Northwest fork for some Sturgion oil, on their way they overtook Mitchell Overlain, Charles Ricords Jur., Parris Griffith, and 2 or 3 other men armed, they asked what news, he answered he had none, then said Overland will you sign this instrument taking a paper out of this pocket, he said he could not write, Overlane said Smith could and handed it over to him, Overlain said it was an assotion, he forbid him puting his name thereto, for he was no fighting man, he dont know that his name was put to it, Overlain told him he had been at Wm. Polks after the Powder but could not git it, nor did not want it, after which he and Olift Smith went home he heard no more about it only some talk of a Tory Company at Indian River, and a number of English Ships Laying near them &c, he has taken the Oath of fidilaty to the State but did not inform William Polk nor no other Justice of the Peace of the attempt had made to git the powder

his

JOHN CLOWS HENERY X WARING

mark

## JAMES ABBOTT

James Abbott, Came in as above and on Examination &c Sayeth that John Ross told him on fryday the 4th. Inst. that the people had a mind to Rise to git the Taxes made Lower or the poor people that Every man might pay fines according to their assessment, on Sunday he heard the neighbours had gone to Messicks, on Munday he went to Messicks took his gun, Dutton and his Com'y marched before he got there, he then marched after them in Com'y with about 20 men, Phillip Conaway with them to Evan's mill, there left them, they went on to one Tindals, Saw the Black Camp men there did not speak to them they stay'd till a petition was sent to the Whigs on Tuesday heard the answer and Returned home,

JAMES ABBOTT

## WILLIAM BLOCKSOM JR.

William Blocksom Jr. Came in as above and on Examination Sayeth, he heard by Wm. Colling Sunday morning before day that the People was Rising at George Messicks to lower their taxes he went to Messicks same day, the people there Concluded to march to Dolbys mill next day Stayed all night marched next morning under Wm. Dutton to Dolbys mill, then to Mariners then to Rindleys old field, Saw Robert Young a prisoner saw Banums' men under arms some of Duttons men talked to an Assembly man that Banums man had under guard after which they sent in a petition, he dont know to whom on Receipt of the answer they all Excepted thereof and went home on Tusday

his

JOHN CLOWS WILLIAM X BLOCKSOM JR.

mark

## JOHN TRUITT

Sussex County Delaware State

August 4th. 1780

John Truitt came in and Surren'd him self to me the Subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace for the Delaware State, and on Examination Sayeth, that Jonathan Hemons told him on Saterday the 5th. inst. that the Torys was Rising he said he did not care he will not Joyn neither Side, he went to George Messicks on Sunday evening Stayed all night had his gun with him, the People there Said they was Rising to Joyn Banums men to Suppress the Taxes, &c on Munday Morning they Marched of Wm. Dutton was Captain about 60 men to Tindals old feild there saw a few of Banums men, heard they had a battle that day saw Robert Young a prisoner wounded he did not like to stay his father and Brothers came down about noon and then he and they Returned home again with all possible Speed

JOHN CLOWS JOHN TRUITT

## ELI WILLIAMS

Eli Williams Surrendered Exam'd &c

Sayeth that it was commonly talk'd amongst the Neighbours that they were Rising Evary Where to Lower the Leveys on Munday the 7th inst. he went to George Messicks in the morning Some Person gave him a gun, told him nothing, then Wm. Dutton told the Company to follow him on which they all marched Strate on to the Toreys, that was gethered, he saw them thought it would not do and Returned home that night—

his

JOHN CLOWS ELI X WILLIAMS

mark

## LEVEY MESSICK

Sussex County Delaware State

August 10th 1780

Levey Messick now under Guard of General Dagsworthy's Militia being Examined before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace for the Delaware State Sayeth,

That he heard some weeks ago that Soldiers and others had been firing at the People of the Black camp as they were at work in their Corn fields, and they Reconed that they were going to kill them up totally, and since that heard no more until fryday the 28th of July last when Jacob Messic came to Lawrence Rylies where this Examinent was and told him that the Black camp men was rising to beat down the Tax Laws and make the Rich pay as much on the pound rate as the poor & must go with them for they should all be killed up totally for the whigs was there upon the Black Camp People daly and after they were all killed up the Toreys would all be Served in the same way, on fryday last the 4th inst. Isaah Johnson and George Messic Came to his house and told him that Peter Sharp had come from black camp

and said that the whigs was running them up, and that all the Torys through the County would be ruined totally, they therefore ordered him to be at George Messix the next day to consult what was to be done, he went accordingly, and found abt 15 men there who was making up a Roll, on which his name was Entered without his knowledge he stayed a little time and went home Sunday morning William Dutton sent Wm. Hewt to him with orders for him to be at George Messix that Evening without fail, he went got there sun 1 hour high where he found about 40 men he heard talk among them that they would Joyn the Black Camp and subdue the Whigs if possible. Monday morning the Roll was called about 80 men answered about 40 of them armed, after being called and Paraded Wm. Dutton ordered them to march without saying where to or what about they then marched to Jonathan Dolbys old place, where they found 80 or 90 men mostly armed, the out Guards he did not see—Dutton ordered them to Ground, they were then discharged a while to eat, after which they were ordered to Arms and marched to Mariners, there they got some Cyder, and then marched back to Sam'l Tindals they then went to sleep, numbers deserted in the night Tuesday Dutton told Every man to take care of themselves he then moved homewards with about 30 men in Company Viz. Sago Potter, Wm. Ratcliff, Jonathan Hemmons, John Carlile Wm. Dutton, Wm. Collings, James Abbott of John Avory Cornwell, Foster Dulavan Jr. Levin Vincent, Isaah Johnson, Jewel Messix, James Messex, Job Messex, at home on Wednesday till Evening he went to John Ryleys to see if he would come and give himself up he went to bed and about midnight he was made Prisoner by Jesse Hall and party

his
LEVEY X MESSICK
mark

## FREDERICK COLLINGS

Sussex County, Delaware State

Augt. 14th, 1780

Fredrick Collings Came in and surr'd him self to me the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace for the Delaware State and on Examination Sayeth, that John Ross on fryday the 4th. instant Sent him word to meet at George Messick's that night for that Major Polk had a Company that was coming to distress the People, but the Black Camp men on fryday the 28th. of last month sent to the People in Ceder Creek that if they knew what was good for them they must rise—and on Saturday the 5th. George Messicks Jur. Sent his neagro to Allarm the People to meet at George Messicks that night, on Sunday morning he went to Messicks, went home again—munday morning went to Messicks again, midling many men there Wm. Dutton ordered them to march they did so, went to Tindals Saw at a distance Banums men, heard they had a fight saw one wounded man under guard, Stayed all night Returned home next morning

FREDRICK COLLINS

## MOSES STUART

1780 Augt. 9th. Moses Stuart A prisoner being Examined before me John Clowes Esq. &c. Sayeth, that on the 3rd. inst. John Bavans came to his house at day break and Said that the Rebels meaning the Whigs were coming upon us to make us pay the Supply Tax, and that they the Tories meaning had a mind to Rais men to prevent the Collection of said Tax and to prevent these men that were Summoned to prove an Association from being Sworn, (which assotiation he Stuart knoweth not the contents of) and that they had 58 men Engaged for that purpose and Pressed him to Engage which he refused, and went to a Blacksmiths on business, and on his return home met Bivans on the Road, who went to his house again and then Pressed this Examinant untill he went with him to David Rortan's Plantation where he found Benj. Jacob, John & Battholomew Johnson sons of Battho. William, John & Zachariah Bavins, Cary Thomson, Wm. Anderson, Battholomew Banum, an 18 others collected for the Above Purpose, Elijah Long and James Truitt he met going to Simon Kollocks by way of flag to order Kollock not to qualify the witnesses with respect to the association, who on their return, they reported that Kollock told them he was determined to proceed agreeable to Law but did not then qualify any of the Evidences present on which the Whole Company moved to Widow Newbold's and from thence to Edward Short's old feild, Short did not join them he then went home, the next morning Wm. Briderson Cary Tomson Battho. Johnson and Jacob Short son of Jacob, came for him and ordered him to go, which he did to Shorts Field aforesaid, from whence several parties was ordered out by Banum to Collect all the arms and ammunition they could from the Whigs to take from none but Whigs and to take no other things, he was not out with the Partys, but went home, at night, Saterday, he Returned very early and the partys came in with 6 guns and some Amonition, 1 pistol and a sward Belt taken by Banum, Wm. Bavins, Silby Otwell, John Bavins, Job Waring, James Steel and some others, then a party of 44 men armed under Banum was sent to Broad Creek, to collect as aforesaid, this Examinant one, they came to John Polks 25 men made a motion of opposition, but did not fire, they continued their march and the Whigs part run, part Stayed, who they disarmed and Returned to the feild the same day, Every man found his own Provitions the company very little increased, he then went home Sunday Returned Early, James Gunby, Edward Short and some others came to see them, that they fixed Guards for fear Whigs would be upon them and that they had but 50 men left in the main body after using guards who lay on their arms till they were told that the Whigs were coming, they then removed to Elihu Hitchens old feild, and there they encamped all night, they were met by a Reinforcement of 25 armed men from Broad Creek, Ephraim Moore, Isaac Moore, Wm. Messick, and others. Monday, they placed Guards of 25 men on each side of the Road out of each guard 6 men were taken to Releaf guard, Banum's wife and Solomon Long's wife was in the Road with the Centery above the guards, the 1st Whigs rode up to the women, and was fired on by the guards, on which the horses made a rapid retreat all but Robt. Young who was wounded and taken Prisoner they then moved to Tindals dressed Young's wounds then to Dolby's and encamped after which they were Reinforced with 98 men, called the Cedar Creek Compy. Commanded by Dutton this Examinant then went home. Tusday Returned Early, and was placed as a Centry towards the

Whigs to meet flags and Convey them and that by the time the last flag arive the whole Company was Dispersed save only a few men, on which he made all the dispatch he could home went to bed and was made Prisoner before day.

his
JOHN CLOWES MOSES X STUART
mark

## JEREMIAH VEACH

The examination of Jeremiah Veach who saith he went to George Messicks Monday the 6th of August 1780 and marched with a Company of men from there till we joined a Company Commanded by Captain Banam who had some prisoners some of which was wounded in a Battle they had that day as they told us the Officers of the Company I went in was Commanded by Capt. William Dutton William Ratcliff first Liutenant Job Townsend second lewtenant Sago potter Clark to said Company after we joined Banams Company we all marched to Samuel Tindals field and I left them that night about three hours in the night and came home in company with Richard Hudson Jno Veach Ryand Mills Jno. Postles and gave up the gun I had to Abso Cornworrin who said when we were going here is a gun for some of you to carry and so the gun was handed to me and further saith not

taken September 30th 1780

his
JEREMIAH X VEACH
mark

## CHARLES WILLIAMS JR.

August 14th. 1780

The Examination of Charles Williams Son of Charles Sayeth on Saturday the 5th of this Inst., this Examinant being at the Singing School at George Messicks says that he heard numbers say they were going to Joyne to suppress the present Taxes this Examinent returned home and march on Monday morning to George Messicks where he joyned a number of others under the Command of William Dutton who they chose for their Captain and then march and got to Tindalls old field stayed all night in the morning of Tuesday this Examinent says he did not like their proceedings and returned home and further sayth not—taken before us &c.

WM. COMVEL CHARLES WILLIAMS
JAMES MARTIN Committed

## INDITMENTS FOR TREASON
## CHENEY CLOW

Kent County S. S.

The Grand Inquest for the Delaware State and the body of the County of Kent aforesaid, on their Oath do present, that Cheney Clow late of the county aforesid, yeoman, being a member of the said State and owing allegiance to the Government thereof, not having the fear of God before his Eyes but being moved and se-

duced by the instigations of the Devil, as a false rebel and traitor to the said State intending the Government thereof to subvert and reduce the same to the domination of the King of Great Britian then and still being at open war with the said State, on the thirteenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy-eight and at divers Days and times as well before as after, at Little Creek Hundred in the county aforesaid, and within the jurisdiction of this court did traitorously levy war against the said Delaware State.

And for the more effectually completing and perfecting the said treason he the said Cheney Clow together with a number of other traitors and rebels to the said State to the jurrors unknown on the said thirteenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy-eight at the said place in the county aforesaid, being armed and arraid in a warlike and hostile manner, to wit, with Guns swords pistols bayonets clubs and other instruments of war, did traiterously wage and levy against the said State. And for the more effectually completing and perfecting the said treason he the said Cheney Clow on the day and year last aforesaid, at the place in the county aforesaid together with a number of other rebels and traitors to the jurrors unknown as aforesaid did traiterously hold and defend a fort errected and built by the said Cheney Clow and other rebels and traitors as aforesaid by firing from the said fort on a party of millitia of the State aforesaid commanded by Colonel Pope. And for the more effectually completing and perfecting the said treason, he the said Cheney Clow, on the said day and year last aforesaid, at the place in the county aforesaid together with a number of other traitors and rebels to the jurrors unknown as aforesaid did traiterously march out of the said fort so built as aforesaid armed and arraid with guns swords pistols bayonets clubs and other warlike instruments, and did attack and repulse a party of militia coming from Maryland to the aid and assistance of the militia of the said Delaware State, for the suppression of the insurrection and rebellion aforesaid, And for the more effectually completing and perfecting the treason, he the said Cheney Clow on the day and year last aforesaid at the place in the county aforesaid together with a number of other armed rebels and traitors to the jurrors unknown as aforesaid did traiterously go to the house of a certain Mathew Hazlet a high subject of the said State and did then and there traitorously take from him a sword, and did demand all the arms and amunition he had in his house. And for the more fully completing***

## CONVICTION OF CHENEY CLOW

Kent County SS

Be it Remembered that at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail delivery of the Delaware State holden at Dover for the County of Kent on Monday to wit; on the fifth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty three Before William Killen and John Jones Esquires two of the Justices of the said State within the same to hold pleas for the said State assigned by a general Commission to them the said Justices and David Finney Esquire and any two of them made to enquire by the Oath and solemn affirmation of good and lawful Men of the respective Counties of the State aforesaid and by other ways and means and methods by which they might better know or be able to know as well within Liberties as without by which the truth of the matter might be the

better known and enquired into, of all Treasons-murders and such other crimes as by the Laws of the said State are made Capital or Felonies of Death &c. and also the accessaries of them within the State aforesaid or any of the Counties thereof as well within Liberties as without, by whomsoever and howsoever had, done, perpetrated, committed or happened and by what or by which, to whom, or by whom, when, how and in what manner and of other Articles and things the premises and every of them, or any one of them, or any whatsoever concerning the full truth, and the said Treasons and Murders and other the premises to hear and determine according to Law and upon conviction of any person or persons Judgment or Sentence to pronounce and give and Execution thereupon to Award as the Law doth or shall direct, By the Oath and solemn affermation of James Raymond Esquire, William Kirkley, Andrew Barrett, James McClyment, Joseph Taylor, Thomas Chairs, Andrew Leckey, Isaac Buckingham, Joseph Alford, Henry Gilder, Charles Nixon, James Vandike, Samuel Wilson, Nathan Wild, Thomas Buckmaster, Miers Casson, John Moffatt, William Frazer, and John Brady, good and Lawful Men of the County aforesaid then and there sworn and affirmed and charged to enquire for the aforesaid Delaware State and the Body of the County of Kent aforesaid, it is presented in manner and form following that is to say

Kent County SS—

The Grand Inquest for the Delaware State and the Body of the County of Kent aforesaid on their Oath and Affirmation respectively Do present that Cheney Clow late of the County aforesaid Labourer not having the fear of God before his eyes but being moved and seduced by the instigation of the Devil, on the twenty sixth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty two about the first hour of the night of the same day with force and Arms at Little Creek Hundred in the County aforesaid on and upon Joseph Moore in the Peace of God, and the said State being, Feloniously, wilfully and of his Malice afore-thought did make an Assault and that the said Cheney Clow a certain gun of the value of five shillings, then and there charged with Gun-powder and one leaden bullet, which Gun he the said Cheney Clow in both his hands then and there had and held, to against and upon the said Joseph Moore then and there Feloniously wilfully and of his Malice afore-thought did shoot and discharge, and that the said Cheney Clow with the leaden bullet aforesaid out of the Gun aforesaid then and there by the force of the gun powder shot and sent forth as aforesaid the aforesaid Joseph Moore in and upon the left breast of him the said Joseph Moore a little below the left Pap of him the said Joseph Moore then and there with the leaden bullet aforesaid out of the gun aforesaid by the said Cheney Clow as aforesaid shot discharged and sent forth Feloniously wilfully and of his malice afore-thought did strike—penetrate and wound, giving to the said Joseph Moore then and there with the leaden bullet aforesaid so as aforesaid shot, discharged and sent forth out of the gun aforesaid by the said Cheney Clow in and upon the said left breast of him the said Joseph Moore a little below the left pap of him the said Joseph Moore one mortal wound of the breadth of one inch and of the depth of nine inches, of which said Mortal wound the aforesaid Joseph Moore then and there instantly died; and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their Oath and Affirmation aforesaid do say, that the said Cheney Clow the said Joseph Moore then and there in manner and form aforesaid Feloniously wilfully and of his malice afore-thought did kill and mur-

der against the Peace and Dignity of the Delaware State aforesaid And afterwards to wit at the same delivery of the Jail of the said State for the County of Kent holden at Dover aforesaid on Monday the fifth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty three Before William Killen and John Jones Esquires two of the Justices of the said Delaware State to deliver the Jails aforesaid, assigned, cometh the said Cheney Clow under the Custody of John Clayton Esquire High Sheriff of Kent County aforesaid (in whose Custody of in the Jail of the said County of Kent for the cause aforesaid he had been committed) to the bar here brought in his proper person who is committed to the aforesaid Sheriff &c. And forth with of the premises in the Indictment above specified being asked in what manner he would be tried thereon; He the said Cheney Clow says he is not guilty thereof and thereof for good and ill he puts himself upon the County—Therefore let a Jury thereupon immediately come Before William Killen and John Jones Esquires two of the Justices aforesaid how by whom the truth of the matter will be better known, and who have no affinity to the said Cheney Clow to recognize upon their Oath and solemn Affermation whether the said Cheney Clow be guilty of the premises in the Indictment afs'd above specified or not; And the said Jurors of the said Jury by the said Sheriff for the purpose empannelled and returned to wit—Richard Banning, George Seaton, Caleb Furbee, Henry Bell, Robert McClyment, Thomas Emory, James Johnson, Ferdinand Casson, Waitman Furbee, John Brown, John Cole and Nathan Pratt being called, come, who being chosen, tried, sworn and affirmed to speak the truth of and upon the premises aforesaid in the Indictment aforesaid Do say, upon their respective Oath and solemn affirmation that the said Cheney Clow is guilty of the premises aforesaid in the Indictment aforesaid above specified in manner and form as he the said Cheney Clow stands Indicted—Upon which it is considered by the Court here that the said Cheney Clow the Prisoner at the Bar be taken to the place from whence he came, and from thence be carried to the place of Execution, and there be hanged by the neck until he be dead.

JAMES SYKES Clk of Assiz

On back of paper
Record of the Conviction of
Cheney Clow, in Kent, on the
5th. May 1783

## RECOGNIZANCE OF LITTLETON TOWNSEND

Kent County, SS. Memorandum, That Littleton Townsend of Sussex County, Yeoman, Thomas Evans of the same County, Innkeeper, and Joseph Polk of Sussex County aforesaid, Husbandman—on the third day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven, came before me William Killen Esq. one of the Justices of the Delaware State assigned to hear and determine all Treasons Murders and other Offences by the Laws of the same State made Capital or Felonies of Death perpetrated within the several Counties of the Delaware State afores'd and in their proper person did acknowledge themselves to owe to the said State in manner and form following, viz. The aforesaid Littleton Townsend the sum of Four Hundred Pounds, and the afores'd Thomas Evans and Joseph

Polk in Two Hundred Pounds each, lawful money of the said State, to be levied of their several Goods and Chattels Lands and tenements, and of every of them for the use of the said State, if the afores'd Littleton Townsend shall happen to make default in the condition underwritten.

The Condition of this Recognizance is such That if the above bounden Littleton Townsend shall personally appear at the next Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery to be holden for Sussex County afores'd at the Town of Lewes in the same County, and do then and there answer all such matters and things as shall be objected against him, he being charged with having traiterously levied War against the said State and not depart without Leave of the Court; That then this Recognizance to be void.

WILLIAM KILLEN

## RECOGNIZANCES ENTERED BY OTHERS, as above

| Name | Sureties | Charge | Date | Amount |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Whittington Clifton | Richard Clifton | Evidence | 1777 | £ 200. 0. 0 |
| Bennet Bryan | | Treason | 1777 | 400. 0. 0 |
| Pemberton Carlile<br>William Davis | John Davis | Treason | 1777 | 400. 0. 0 |
| Shepherd Bryan | Bennet Bryan | Treason | 1777 | 400. 0. 0 |
| Colline Truitt | Mitchell Tatman | Treason | 1777 | 400. 0. 0 |
| Joseph Stockley | Mitchel Tatman | Treason | 1777 | 200. 0. 0 |
| Hester West | Alexander Rutherford | Evidence | 1777 | 200. 0. 0 |
| John Fisher | William Laws | Treason | 1777 | 600. 0. 0 |
| Richard Clifton | William Laws | Treason | 1777 | 400. 0. 0 |
| John Carlile | | Evidence | 1777 | 200. 0. 0 |
| Elisha Dickerson | Thomas Kellan | Treason | 1778 | 50. 0. 0 |
| Nehemiah Carey | Joseph Caldwell | Levying War | 1778 | 500. 0. 0 |
| Jonathan Burroughs | Joseph Polk et al | | 1778 | 500. 0. 0 |
| William Huffington | John Fisher | Treason | 1779 | 500. 0. 0 |
| John Smith | | Evidence | 1780 | 200. 0. 0 |
| Jeremiah Veach | | Treason | 1780 | 000. 0. 0 |
| John Hudson (of Cuper) | | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Henry Hudson do | | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Eli Wharton | | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Richard Coverdale | Bennitt Warren | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Benedict Conner | | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| William Veach | | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Thomas Coverdale | William Passwater | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Elias Jones | Patrick Lingo | Treason | 1780 | 3000. 0. 0 |
| Thomas Wharton Jr. | | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Charles Williams Jr. | Chas. Williams Sr. | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Levey Messick | Joseph Morris | Treason | 1780 | 2500. 0. 0 |
| William Blocksom Jr. | Samuel Shankland | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Frederick Collings | Samuel Shanklin | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| James Abbott | William Tatman | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Eli Williams | Joshua Deputy | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| John Truitt<br>William Williams | John Plowman | Treason | 1780 | 1000. 0. 0 |
| Townsand Carlile | John Lane | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |

*Hester West to give evidence against—Solomon Beach, John Hudson, John Tucker, Nunery Deputy, Jonathan Palmer, Jonathan Burrows, Ratcliff Painter, Samuel Davis, and Joshua Laws.

† John Carlile to give evidence against—James Wrench, Littleton Townsend, Israel Brown, Thomas Bell, William Bell, Jesse Bradley, Pemberton Carlile, Nehemiah Carey, and Edward Carey.

RECOGNIZANCES ENTERED BY OTHERS, (Continued)

| Name | Surities | Charge | Date | Amount |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Major Waring | James Woods | | 1780 | £2000. 0. 0 |
| Henry Waring | Olive Smith | Treason | 1780 | 1000. 0. 0 |
| Levin Vincent | Thomas Vincent | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Samuel Truitt | Edmun Read | Treason | 1780 | 5000. 0. 0 |
| Jesse Truitt | John Collings | Treson | 1780 | 9000. 0. 0 |
| George Truitt | John Collings | Treason | 1780 | 1000. 0. 0 |
| Nehemiah Tatman | William Tatman | Treason | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Olive Smith | Henry Warring | Treason | 1780 | 1000. 0. 0 |
| John Riley | Edmun Read | Treason | 1780 | 2500. 0. 0 |
| Zephariah Parimore | Richard Coverdale | Treason | 1780 | 1000. 0. 0 |
| John Messick | Joseph Polk Sr. | Treason | 1780 | 2400. 0. 0 |
| George Morris | Edmun Read | To appear | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| William Hall | Richard Coverdale | To appear | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Foster Dulavan Jr. | Foster Dulavan Sr. | To appear | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Avory Cornwell | Francis Cornwell | To appear | 1780 | 5000. 0. 0 |
| William Collings | Isaac Collings | To appear | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Zadock Lofland | Joseph Morris | To appear | 1780 | 1500. 0. 0 |
| Avory Clendaniel | Zadock Lindal | To appear | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Nicholas Abbott | William Abbott | To appear | 1780 | 2500. 0. 0 |
| Robert McKey | Charles Williams | To appear | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Isaiah Johnson | Isaac Ingram | To appear | 1780 | 4000. 0. 0 |
| William Hudson | Griffith Coverdale | To appear | 1780 | 1000. 0. 0 |
| Jonathan Hemmons | Joseph Lindal | To appear | 1780 | 5000. 0. 0 |
| Jacob Carpenter | Isaac Allee | To appear | 9780 | 2500. 0. 0 |
| Griffith Coverdale | William Hudson | To appear | 1780 | 1000. 0. 0 |
| Phillip Conaway | James Woods | To appear | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Ahab Clindaniel | William Abbott | To appear | 1780 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| William Chambers | Thomas Crouch | To appear | 1780 | 5000. 0. 0 |
| George Abbott | Hugh Baker | To appear | 1780 | 1000. 0. 0 |
| Joseph Watson | Johannes Draper | Treason | 1781 | 2000. 0. 0 |
| Baker Johnson | | Treason | 1777 | 500. 0. 0 |
| David Davis | | Treason | 1777 | 500. 0. 0 |
| Samuel Johnson | | Treason | 1777 | 500. 0. 0 |
| Branson Lofland | | Treason | 1777 | 500. 0. 0 |
| Littleton Lofland | | Treason | 1777 | 500. 0. 0 |
| James Rench | William Polk | Treason | 1778 | 300. 0. 0 |
| Woolsey Burton | Peter Waples | Treason | 1779 | 4000. 0. 0 |
| Benjamin Kees | Samuel Wilson | Treason | 1780 | 1500. 0. 0 |
| John Veasey | Robert Stevenson | Treason | 1778 | 100. 0. 0 |
| William Burton Jr. | Isaac Smith | Treason | 1778 | 100. 0. 0 |

## CONVICTION AND PENALTY FOR TREASON

Sussex County, in the
Delaware State

BE IT REMEMBERED that at a Court of Oyer and Terminer and general Goal Delivery held at Lewes Town for the County aforesaid on the fourth day of October in the year of Our Lord One Thousand seven hundred and Eighty, Before William Killen Esquire Chief Justic of the said County & John Jones Esquire one of his Associates, Justices of the same by vitue of a Commission from his Excellency Caesar Rodney Esquire President of the State of Delaware afs'd—In manner and form following, to wit.

THE Delaware State to William Killen David Finney & John Jones Esquires Justices of Our Supreme Court GREETING—Know ye That in virtue of the appointment of our President and General Assembly and reposing special Trust and Confidence in your Integrity & Ability we do by these presents Commissionate you to be our Jusices to enquire by the Oath & Solemn Affirmation respectively of honest and lawful Men of the respective Counties of the said State and every of them and by such other ways manners & means which you shall better understand or can do as well within liberties as without by whom the Truth of the matter may be better known of all Treasons Murders and such other crimes as are or shall by the Laws of the said State be made Capital or Felonies of Death and the Accessaries thereof within the respective Counties afr'd. and every of them as well within liberties as without by whomsoever or howesover had done perpetrated or Committed and by whom when how and what manner and of other matters and Circumstances in any wise concerning the premises & every of them And to hear and Determine the said Treasons and Murders and other the premises according to Law and upon Conviction of any person or persons Judgment or Sentence to pronounce & give & Execution thereupon to award as the Law doth or shall direct. And we do impower & authorize you or any two of you to deliver the Goals of the respective Counties in the said State and every of them of the prisoners in the same being for any crime or crimes Capital or Felonies as afs'd. and therefore WE COMMAND you that at certain days appointed by the Law of the said State and such days as you or any two of you shall Consider of, you or any two of you meet together at the Court Houses of the said Respective Counties to deliver the said Goals and make diligent Enquiry of and upon the premises with full power to you, or any two of you to hear and Determine all and singular the same premises and to do and Accomplish those things in form afs'd. Acting therein that which to Justice According to Law Appertains.

By the Oath of William Polk Esq James Thompson, John Harmonson, Thomas Groves, Robert White, Hugh Stevenson, John Neill, Clark Nottingham, William Hazzard, Emanuel Russell, Nathaniel Star, Cord Hazzard, John Hazard, Robert Hood William Dood, Thomas Gorden, William Fisher and Richardson Cade good and Lawful men of the said County of Sussex being then and there sworn and charged to Enquire for the Delaware State afs'd. touching and Concerning the premises in the said Commission mentioned, It is presented that the Bill of Indictment to this schedule Annexed is a True Bill—The Jurors afs'd. for the Delaware State afs'd. upon their Oath present, That Seagoe Potter, being an Inhabitant and Subject of the Delaware State and owing Allegience to the Government thereof not

having the fear of God in his heart but being moved and seduced by the Instigation of the Devil as a false Rebel and Traitor to the said State and devising and most wickedly & traitorously intending to change and Subvert the Rule and Government of the said State and reduce the same to the Domination of the King of Great Britain on the Eighth day of August in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred & Eighty and at divers other Days and times as well before as after at Broadkill, Broad Creek & Dagsbury hundreds and at divers other places in the County afs'd. with a great multitude of other Traitors & Rebels to the said State (to the Jurors unknown) being Armed and Arrayed in a Warlike and hostile manner, to wit. with Guns, Pistols, Swords, Clubs & divers other weaons as well Offensive as Defensive with force and Arms did falsely & traitorously Assemble and join themselves against the said State & then and there with force and Arms did falsely and traitorously & in Warlike & hostile manner Array and dispose themselves against the said State for the purpose afs'd. & then and there in further pursuance and Execution of such their wicked & traitorous Intentions and purposes afs'd. with force and Arms did falsely & traitorously prepare order wage & Levy a publick and cruel war against the said State then and there committing & perpetrating a miserable & cruel slaughter of and among the Faithful Subjects & Inhabitants of the said State and then and there with force and Arms in further pursuance and Execution of such their wicked & traitorous Intentions and purposes afs'd. did go to the house of a certain Clark Nottingham a Lieutenant in the Milatia of the said State and to the house of divers other liege Inhabitants of the said State and did falsely & traitorously take from the said houses a quantity of Arms, Powder & Ball for the purpose afs'd and then and there in further pursuance of such their Traitorous intentions and purposes afs'd. with force and Arms well knowing that a great multitude of Rebels and traitors to the said State were in Actual Rebellion against the said State did falsely and traitorously Aid Assist the said Rebels and traitors in Actual rebellion as afs'd by giving them intelligence and furnishing them with Arms Ammunition and provisions and other supplies for the purpose afs'd. against the duty of their Allegiance against the peace and dignity of the Delaware State and against the form of an Act of General Assembly in such case made & provided.

Whereupon at this same Goal delivery for the Delaware State held for the County of Sussex afs'd. at Lewes Town afs'd. on the day and year first afs'd. before the said William Killen and John Jones Esqrs. Comes the said Seagoe Potter under the Custody of Rhoads Shankland Esq. Sheriff of the County afs'd. into whose Custody he was for the cause afs'd. before committed, to the bar here brought in his proper person, and immediately of the premises afs'd. in the Indictment afs'd. specified on him above Charges is asked how he would thereof acquit himself, the same Seago Potter saith that he is not thereof Guilty, an thereof of good & ill he puts himself upon the County, therefore immediately let a Jury thereon come & before the said Justices last named here &c. And the Jurors of that Jury by the Sheriff hereto empannelled, to wit, Stephen Reading, Elias Mason, John Sheldon Dorman, Wrixam White, Robert Coulter, Robert Young, John Black, Elijah Collings, Joseph Coulter, George Fraim, Edward Vaughn, & George Polk being called came, who to say the truth of the premises, being Elected tried & sworn say on their Oath that Seago Potter is guilty of the Treason & Felony whereof he stands Indicted, in manner and form as he stands Indicted and so they say all, and hereupon the said Seago Potter is immediately asked if he has or knows any-

thing to say for himself why the said Court here should not proceed to Judgment & Execution thereof upon the Verdict afs'd. who nothing further says than as before he had said, Whereupon all and singular the premises being seen, and by the Court here understood it is Considered by the Court here that you Seago Potter return to the prison from whence you came, from thence you must be drawn to the place of Execution when you come there you must be hanged by the Neck but not till you be dead, for you must be cut down alive, then your Bowels must be taken out, an burnt before your face, then your head must be severed from your body, & your body divided into four Quarters, and these must be at the disposal of the Supreme Authority of the State.

By the Court,

JNO. RODNEY Clk. of afs'd Cot.

The following persons were convicted and Penalized as of Seago Potter William Bevins, Bartholomew Johnson, Jacob Johnson, Isaac Downs, Barnet Downs, Moses Stewart, & John Conway.

## PETITIONS OF PERSONS CONVICTED FOR TREASON

Jany. 1781

To the Honourable

The General Assembly of the State of Delaware

The Petition of Jacob Johnson, Benjamin Johnson, Bartholomew Johnson, William Bibbins, Isaac Downs, Barnet Downs, and Moses Stuart of the County of Sussex in said State

Most Humbly Showeth—that your Petitioners ware at the first meeting of the late Court of Oyer & Terminer held at Lewis town for the County of Sussex—found guilty of high Treason against the said State, and sentenced to die as the Law directs—that your Petitioners, being much Terrified with the cruel (and to us unheard of sentance) too unprepared to meet death—and from the nature of our offence, as it then appeared to us, and our peculiar situation (well known to some of the Honourable members) without hopes of mercy, we added to our offences against the Law, by leaving the goal the place of our confinement—

Your humble petitioners being since informed of the grate mercy extended to our companions in the first offence and finding that from you, or by your recommendation mercy may be extended to us—tho guilty of grate offences against the Law—therefore Humbly pray that your Honours will be pleased to take our unhappy case under consideration, and grant that our lives may be spared us on such con-

ditions—and by such ways and means as to your Honours may seem meet & expedient.

Your Petitioners as in duty bound, Submit themselves, and will ever pray The within Petitioners having nothing to alledge respecting their distressed case but what is known to some of the Honourable members of Assembly-Except their promises of future good behaviour and distressed connections in life—hear mention the particular family of each Petitioner

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| Jacob Johnson | a wife and seven children |
| Benjamin Johnson | a wife and four children |
| William Bibbins | a wife and five children |
| Isaac Downs | a wife and five children |
| Moses Stuart | a wife and five children |
| Bartholomew Johnson | have very aged and helpless fathers & mothers living who have much need of their laighbor to assist in maintaining the parents. |
| Barnet Downs | |

ISSAAC DOWNS
BARNITT DOWNS
his
JACOB X JOHNSON
mark his
BENJAMIN X JOHNSON
mark
BARTHOLOEMEW JOHNSON
WILLIAM BEBBINS
MOSSES STUERT

Jany. 1782

To the Honbl. Representatives of the freemen of the Delaware State in General General Assembly met—

The Humble Petition of us the Subscribers being some of the number of them that unfortunately and Innocently met at the Insurrection that happened in August 1780 not knowing the Fatal Consequences thereof in Violating of the Laws of the State thereby; being since then Convinced of our Transgression; have absconded from our former abode, to our loss, and the loss of our parents, most of which are greatly Advanced in age, and Infirmity, whose Dependance of their Support for the Necessaries of Life, they Relyed much on our Labour; We do now in the most dutiful and submissive manner implore your Honrs. Pardon for our Offence; Unfeignedly Promising on your Honrs. Clemency and Mercy, granted to our Prayers, never Willfully again Transgress the Laws, But behave ourselves as Dutiful Subjects, by honest Labour and Industry suppert ourselves, and the Different Families we belong; to prevent them becoming a charge or an Incumbrance in the State. Likewise we do hope that we may be more beneficial to the Community in General, than we can be in our present unhappy Situation; the whole of our Prayer; We do most Humbly Submit to your Honrs. Wisdom, Clemency, and Mercy; and We as in Duty Bound to firm Allegiance to the State; Will forever Pray &c.

GEORGE ABBOTT
JAMES ABBOTT
JOHN WILLIAMS
CHARLES WILLIAMS
JOHN MORRIS
FOSTER DONOVAN
THOMAS COVERDALE

## TREASON IN NEW CASTLE COUNTY

New Castle
County SS

Be it remembered that Personally Appeared before me one of the Justices of the Peace for said County, James Kirkpatrick, of New Castle Hundred in New Castle County, Farmer and acknowledged himself Indebted to the Delaware State the sum of Two Hundred pounds Lawful Money of the said State, to be Levied on his goods & chattels Lands & Tenaments if Default be made in the Under Written Recogninance.

The condition of this Recogninance is such that if the above bounden James Kirkpatrick shall & do Personally appear & be before the Justices of the Court of Oyer & Terminer & General Goal Delivery next to be held at New Castle, in the County of New Castle Delaware State and then and their Answer to a charge of Treason against said State in selling of Cattle to the Enemy & Informing against Whiggs and shall not Depart said Court without Leave first obtained then the Present Recogninance to be Void or Ellse to be & Remain in full force & Virtue

Taken Nov. 8th. 1777
Before
GEORGE CRAIGHEAD

JAMES KIRKPATRICK

## OTHER INDICTMENTS IN NEW CASTLE COUNTY

Peter VnDever
Thos. Smith
Barnaby Lanigan
John Allee
John Benson
William Almond
Joshua North
Joseph Wilson
Robert Brown

## EXAMINATIONS FOR TREASON IN NEW CASTLE COUNTY

The Examination of William Callis, Soldier in Coll: Blands Reigment of Light Horse and Jacob Rhoades in the s'd Battalion, That on the 4th. Instant being Betwen Christiana Creek & the Town of New Castle, they saw three Men near the Creek Side Who Appeared to be Dealing for some Cattle—When one of the s'd men Named Barneby Laragan went towards the Ferry, the Soldiers Ordered him to Halt but he Continued to Run from them, untill they Fired Three Pistols at him and being stopped by a bad Drean they Took him Prisoner. The 2nd Named Joseph Warner (Silver Smith) went across the Creek into Wilmington, when the s'd Light Horse Men being allso in S'd Town meet S'd Warner, and having Taken him he told them that he had ben Bargaing with the Above Laragan for S'd Cattle and that he offered him One hundred twenty pounds for Eighteen Head of them (in hard money) it was about 1 o'clock, when dealing & about Sunset when Taken, the Third man, got into said Town and was Taken by Capt. Kean.

Taken Before
Geo. Craghead Lt. Coll:

WILLIAM CALLIS
JACOB ROADS

Newark Nov. 27th. 1777

William Foot Saith, That while part of the English Army was at Wilmington, in a certain conversation between him and Joseph Rotheram at John Bruce's Smith Shop. the s'd Joseph express'd himself to the following purpose. That upon s'd Foot informing s'd Rotheram that he had been at Wilmington, with provisions for the Inhabitants, that s'd Rotheram said that he would not do it, & blam'd him for it, and said there was an hundred pounds offered for his head for going to market—and said that he would rather starve the Whigs than supply them with provisions—or let them starve

Before
David Finney

WILLIAM
FOOTT

## EXAMINATION OF JESPER BEESON

Dec. 5th.—77—

Says that the enemy while they lay at Wilmington sent to him for Cattle and told him if he did not sell them that they would take them, that he let them have 20 head at three different times that he received about £30 in part—he says allso that Edward Beeson killed 5 or 6 head of Cattell and sent them in John Stedhams boat to the enemies fleet, that William Tussey killed 2 or 3 also that they sold the hides to Jacob Heves at Marcus Hook @1/3 pr lb that he (Beeson) attended market at Wilmington two different times with butter &c he (Beeson) also says that Jacob Derrickson told him that he must kill his fatt Cattell & take them to the enemy, that he also purchased 2 Cattell from Isaac Grubb about the time he was selling Beef to the enemy.

Ezekiel Carey on examination says that he has lived with Jasper Beeson since the time the enemy began to deal with the s'd Beeson, that he had about 15 head and that they were killed at Jacob Derricksons house at two different times that the enemy came frequently ashore at Derricksons & Wml. Almonds and got Several Cattell from s'd Almond, that Derrickson also killed all his fat Cattell & sold to the enemy, that Wlm. Tussey killed 6 head of Cattell at Beesons house & carted them to Almonds dock & sent them on board, that he has seen William Tussey frequently at his brother Isaac Tussey's and he believes that he makes his home there.

the above Examination was taken
at Newark when the Whig Battl. was there
S. PATTERSON B. G.

## EXAMINATION OF CAPT. FRANCIS MOORE

New Castle County
Nov. 2nd. 1777

The examination of Capt. Francis Moore Of the 2nd Regiment of Georgia Regular troops Commanded by Colonel Elbert, before B. General Patterson.

That yesterday Evening at the Village Christinia, that a certain Charles Bryson Expressed himself as follows Viz.

That he had dealt with the Enemy & would do it again and that he had taken Protection Under the Crown & would Defend it.

Gentlemen Present
Dav'd Finney Esquire
John Lyon
Robt. Moore School Master

FRANCIS MOORE

## AFFIDAVIT OF WILLIAM WOOD

New Castle
County SS

Personall appeared before me George Craghead Esquire one of the Justices of the Peace for s'd County William Wood of Brandywine Hundred in said County and being Qualified according to Law, doth Depose and say that,

Thomas Smith of Brandywine Hundred in said County Black Smith, was in company with this Deponant, Joseph Day, Samuel Kenneday & others, in the house of said Joseph Day, in s'd Brandywine Hundred on a Sunday when the English lay at Wilmington when he said he had never Informed on any Person except James Stuart of s'd Hundred and that he s'd Smith had Informed of him, and that because Stuart had made himself so bussey Informing of him, that as he s'd Smith was at his own place he saw s'd Smith going throw a Corn Patch that he pointed with his finger to Stuart and asked a English Officer, present, if he saw him, the Officer Replied Yes, a horseman went after him & soon brought said Stuart Inn.

And as this deponant was passing past Smith's Shop, he saw that Smith had just knocked down a Beff, this Deponant Asked him if he was for Market Smith said he was, that it was one he had got for his Winter Beff, that he had about Eighteen or Twenty Pounds of this Continental Money, but could get nothing for it, and that he Smith, would sell s'd Beff to get some other sort of money that he might get something for his Family, and further saith not.

Sworn 30 day of March 1779
Before George Craghead

WILLIAM WOOD

## AFFIDAVIT OF SAMUEL ERWIN

New Castle County SS

Personally appeared before me David Finney one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the Delaware State, Samuel Erwin of the Borough of Wilmington County Afs'd Carpenter—& made Oath That on or about the 16th. Day of September last a certain Frederick Vost of the Borough afs'd. Taylor did come to this Depon'ts Fathers work shop in the Borough afs'd with four Soldiers armed with Muskets & fixed Bayonets (which Soldiers he understood were Hessions) and that said Frederick on opening s'd shop door, told this Depon't

that he was a Prisoner & that one of the S'd Soldiers seized this Depon't by the Shoulder, that he was fixed in the center of s'd Soldiers with s'd Frederick at their head, and marched from said shop to the Hessian Colonel Quarters in said Borough (Delaware) that s'd Fred'k. advanced at the head of s'd party to where s'd Colo'. was walking on the pavement & told the Colo'. this is the man, (or words to that amount) that s'd. Colo. seem'd to pay little or no attention to what s'd. Fred'k. said, that after waiting a few minutes this Depon't applied to s'd Colo'. for liberty to return to s'd Shop to finish a coffin which he had begun for a deceased woman. the Colo. replied (that he might return to finish s'd. Coffin, that he marched back under the s'd. Guard attended by s'd. Four Soldiers who kept near to him till he had finished said Coffin. and as soon as he had finished it he was conveyed by s'd. Guard to the Provo where he was detained prisoner (amongst a number of prisoners chiefly Militia) for about four Days, and then was ordered with a number of other Prisoners, from s'd. Provo on board a Ship called the Diana Brown Master—then lying in the River Delaware, on board of which Ship this Depon't. was detained a prisoner for ab't. nine weeks, & then proceeded on board the said Ship to Philadelphia. & was put into the new Gaol, (or Provo) in s'd. city where he remained one Day and a night & was there let at liberty and return'd to s'd. Borough in about a week after. And this Depon't. further Saith that while he was in confinement in s'd. provo at Wilmington, & on board s'd Ship he was furnished with the rest of the Prisoners with no more than half allowance of provisions—& further saith not.

SAMUEL ERWIN.

Taken July 22'd. 1778.—

Before DAVID FINNEY.

## INDICTMENT OF FREDERICK VOST

New Castle County SS.

In the name of thee Delaware State. You are hereby required to bring Frederick Vost. of the Borough of Wilmington, Taylor, before me, to answer to the information & charge (thereto annexed) ag't. him, by Samuel Erwin hereof fail not. Given under my Hand & Seal July 22'd 1778.

To any Constable
for said County
or to John Hurdman
deputed for this service
New Castle County Aug't. 20'th, 1778.

DAVID FINNEY

Fred'k. Vost Tent. in £1000.
Dan'l. Mc'Lonen in £500.

Sub. Cond. That s'd. Fred'k. Vost shall, personally be, and appear at the next Court of Oyer & Terminer, to be held for s d. County to answer to the foregoing charge, or Information ag't. him, & not depart without License.

DAN'L. McLONEN.

Before DAVID FINNEY

## SUMMONS FOR WITNESSES

Kent County SS. William Killen Esq'r Chief Justice of the Supream Court of the Delaware State and one of the Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer to be held for the several Counties within the said State. To the Sheriff of Kent County afores'd Greeting. Whereas I am informed that William Robinson Richard Furbish, Stephen Gerrald, John Moore Thomas Parkhurst and John Robinson Jun'r. all of Kent County afores'd. Husbandmen are material Witnesses to be examined on behalf of the said State concerning several Treasonable Acts said to be committed by John Allee of Kent County afores'd yeoman; These are therefore to command you to warn the said William Robinson, Richard Furbish, Stephen Gerrald John Moore Thomas Parkhurst and John Robinson personally to appear at the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery to be held by adjournment for the County of Newcastle, at the Town of Newcastle on the Twenty-ninth of March Instant, then and there to give such Evidence as they shall be examined upon. And hereof fail not. And that you be then there likewise with this Precept to show how you have executed the same: Given under my Hand and Seal at Dover in Kent County afores'd the 27th Day of March Anno Domino 1779.

WILLIAM KILLEN.

## AFFIDAVIT OF JOHN GREEN

New Castle County SS.

John Green of Newcastle Hundred and County Aged Twenty-five years being Solemnly Sworn deposeth and Sayeth that about the fifth day of this Instant Nov. be being in Company with Joseph Warner of Wilmington and a certain Charles Lenagan did hear the said Warner Sell unto Lenagan Eighteen Head of Horned Cattle for which said Lenagan was to give Him One Hundred and Twenty Pounds in Gold he further sayeth that he heard Lenagan say he Intended to Take five Head of them that day to Newcastle but Seeing Captain Kean was at some Small distance was afraid he would call in the Militia and prevent him but said he would bring a large party of the English Troops on the Friday following to guard and drive them to Newcastle and further sayeth not——

his
JOHN X GREEN
mark

Taken Before me the 17'th
Nov. 1777
ROB'T. BRYAN

## HEARINGS FOR TREASON

Evidence Nov. 8'th, 1777.

John Vanluvenigh being Solemnly Sworn Says that he know of Joseph Jadsons Vessel going frequently oute of Duck Creek but does not know of her trading with the English Fleet—Jadson Confesses that he Took Beef & pork to the English Fleet

Vanluvenigh says he knew Charles Hudson to be master of a Shallop That he Saw his Shallop come into Duck Creek once but does know what Trade she had been carrying on

Vanluvenigh Says he knows Isaac Carson to be Master of a Shallop That he saw her come into duck Creek last Wednesday night Carson Confesses that he sold five chord of wood to a Horse Transport—

Vanluvenigh Says that he has seen James Moors Shallop going out of Duck Creek Once & Twice coming in, Moore on Examination Confesses to have Exchanged wood & Potatoes with the English Fleet for Salt & Loaf Sug'r and that his neighbors did use his Shallop for the like purpose a list of whose names he gave to Cap't Ellis——

Vanluvenigh Says that he was hired with John Allee as a hand in his Shallop That he went one Trip with the Shallop when her Cargo Consisted of wood Beeff and Poultry. That the wood was sold for Cash The Beeff & Poultry Exchanged for Salt—That the Shallop was Loaded a Second time with wood Poultry & vegetables and that their Intention was to go & Sell the Same to the English fleet had they not been prevented by the Troops under the Command of Capt'n Ellis & Lewis

Jacob Dayken on Examination Says that he is owner of the half of the Shallop with John Allee & that he made one Trip to the English fleet with wood and Poultry which belonged to John Anderson and that Anderson went with him and sold the Cargo to the frigate Called the Swift.

Alex. Crawford Says he was Hired with Charles Hudson & dealt none is willing to Swair Allegance to s'd State

W. Truax Marsh went aboard of ye English Fleet in a Batteau but dealt none is willing to swair Allegance

Jas. Elliot Says he was in a vessel that went alongside of a ship of war but dealt none

Lewis Williams Says that he was going to deal with the Enemy, for Matthew Hazel but was prevented by being taken he belongs to Kent County on Delaware

Wm. VanWinkle Says he was going aboard of the fleet but was Prevented by Caleb Polk of Cap't Clarks Company

Lewis Williams Aged 21 years & Eight Days being Solemnly Sworn doth Say that he was an apprentice to Matthew Hazel of Kent County on Delaware did Influence him the Said Lewis Williams to go with a quantity of Potatoes One Turkey & Eight Geese on board of the English Fleet now in Delaware River with 'Instructions to Sell or Exchange the Same for Salt or other goods which might be got but was prevented from carrying the same into Execution by the Troops under the command of the Cap'ts Lewis & Ellis & further Saith not———

LEWIS WILLIAMS

Taken the 8th of Nov. 1777 before me one
of the Justices for the County of Newcastle
ROB'T BRYAN

William Barcus Confesses he was going to deal for his mother
Wm. McCombs Confesses he was going to Exchange a Racoon & some Potatoes for Salt———

Peter Codrick Confesses that he had been aboard of the fleet & Dealt with them for some Salt which was dirty & Bad & cost him 15 / per Bushel

Isaac Litman Says he was Taken for driving a wagon Loaded with goods for the Enemy which belonged to Garret Cruissen

Thos. Barnet Says he went to Jadson to apply for Salt & had some hard money which he Intended to send for it

Stephen Weeks Says he went aboard of the 2'd division of the fleet & Exchanged Some Potatoes & 8 fowls for half a Bushel of dirty Salt

Jas. Bullis No evidence Appears & he Says he had no dealings with the Enemy—

Rob't. Morris was hired with John Allee was on board the English fleet but Says he had no dealings

Benja'. Fowler Confesses he was going to Exchange Some Apples for Salt and Brimstone for Anny McKee

Xtopher Burch Says he went with One Turkey on board the fleet to Exchange it for Salt but got none he sold the Turkey for half a dollar——

John Allee Says he took six Bushels of Indian corn on board the fleet which he Exchanged for Some Salt & Sold the Rest for 3 /9 per Bushel

Will : Semetry is a Servet to Jadson & goes with him in the Shallop
Benja Jones Says he took some geese to Jadsons Shallop in order to procure salt for them

Sr.

We have Sent you Joseph Jadison, Charles Hudson, Isaac Carson, James Moore, John Allee & Jacob Dayken as Principles in the Illicit Trade carried on from Duck Creek with John Vanluvenigh the procecuter, all the Rest have Acknowledged their Error & Taken the Oath of Allegence to the State on which they were discharged by y'r Humble Serv't. & &————

THOS. McDONOUGH
GUNNING BEDFORD
HENRY FORSTER
ROB'T. BRYAN

To Brigadire Gen'l Patterson
Nov. 8'th 1777

## DEPRECIATION OF PAY

The Auditors appointed by law, to settle the Depreciation of the Pay-Accounts of all the Officers, and private men of the Delaware Regiment, and of divers other Persons in the several Departments of the Army, who are credited to this State as part of the quota of the Land forces thereof, beg leave to certify his Excellency the President of the State; that in persuance of their said appointment, the Auditors, after having been duly qualified, have as far as in them lay, performed the Duty enjoined them, and now present herewith to his Excellency for his perusal and approbation, the several Papers marked or numbered, containing an estimate in specie of all the Continental money received on account of their pay, and the amount in specie also of the Depreciation, of the pay of all the commissioned and staff Officers severally and respectively within the intention of said appointment, from the first day of January in the year of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Seven, to the first day of April in the year One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty, with the addition of their pay from thence to the first day of August next following, to wit. for four months; for it does not appear they received any pay, either for or during that time; which makes up a part of the time to which the Auditors are limited—They also lay before his Excellency a book or Schedule containing the estimate of all the continental monies received on account of their pay, and the amount in specie of the Depreciation for the time aforesaid of all the pay of non-commissioned Officers and severally the private men within the meaning of the appointment aforesaid with the like addition of four months pay as mentioned above in the case of the commissioned staff and Officers. The Auditors further certify his Excellency that they are far from thinking the amounts contained in the Book or Schedule now delivered are all just, or even free from gross errors—the want of muster, or pay-rolls for a great part of the time above mentioned, and the inaccuracy of those provided must necessarily have occasioned great omissions and mistakes to be made in adjusting these accounts, altho the Auditors exercised the utmost care and attention to avoid that inconvenience; however they are of opinion, that from the state of these accounts, and better information of the time each private has been in the continental service, when they can be had, these mistakes and omissions may be rightly corrected and the intention of the Law fully answered.

RETURN OF CERTIFICATES ISSUED BY JNO. PIERCE, ESQ., LATE COMMISSIONER OF ARMY ACCOUNTS FOR THAT PART OF COLONEL LEE'S LEGION OF THE QUOTA OF DELAWARE, AND WHICH WERE DELIVERED TO CAPTAIN JAMES HEARD OF SD. LEGION BY ANDREW DUNSCOMB, ESQ., LATE ASSIS. COMMISSR. FOR THE STATE OF VIRGINIA.

| Names of the persons in whose favor the Certificates were issued— | Number of ye Certificate for bala. of pay from Aug. '80 to Jany. '82 | Balance of pay from the 1 Augt. 80 to the 1 Jany. 82 issued. | | Number of the Certificate for pay of the year 1782. | Bala. of pay for the year 1782 issued in Certificates | | Number of the Certificates for pay and granting for the year 1783. | Bala. of pay from the 1 Jan. to the 15 Nov. 83 also for gratuity issued. | | Amount of Certificate issued for each person. | |
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| | | Dolls. | cts. | | Dolls. | cts. | | Dolls. | cts. | Dolls. | cts. |
| Joseph McClane | 87,466 | 255 | .. | 87,496 | 180 | .. | 87,525 | 66 | 35 | 501 | 35 |
| Matthew Kusick | 87,467 | 255 | .. | 87,497 | 180 | .. | 87,526 | 177 | 45 | 612 | 45 |
| Thomas Wells | 87,468 | 141 | 60 | | | | | | | 612 | 45 |
| Caleb Leavick | 87,469 | 141 | 60 | 87,498 | 180 | .. | 87,527 | 177 | 45 | 489 | 15 |
| Barnett Allee | 87,470 | 141 | 60 | 87,489 | 180 | .. | 87,528 | 177 | 45 | 499 | 15 |
| Robert Farrell | 87,471 | 255 | .. | 87,500 | 180 | .. | 87,529 | 177 | 45 | 612 | 45 |
| Charles McMonnigill | 87,472 | 170 | .. | 87,501 | 120 | .. | 87,530 | 145 | .. | 435 | .. |
| Hugh McDade | 87,473 | 170 | .. | 87,502 | 120 | .. | 87,531 | 11 | 60 | 301 | 60 |
| James Dunahoe | 87,474 | 170 | .. | 87,503 | 120 | .. | 87,532 | 145 | .. | 435 | .. |
| Jeremiah McDade | 87,475 | 141 | .. | 87,504 | 100 | .. | 87,533 | .. | 45 | 242 | 45 |
| Robert Leavick | 87,476 | 141 | 60 | 87,505 | 100 | .. | 87,534 | 23 | 05 | 264 | 65 |
| Andrew Murphy | 87,477 | 141 | 60 | 87,506 | 100 | .. | 87,535 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |
| John Hanson | 87,478 | 100 | .. | 87,507 | 100 | .. | 87,536 | 134 | 15 | 334 | 15 |
| Peter Cruson | 87,479 | 10 | .. | 87,508 | 100 | .. | 87,537 | 134 | 15 | 334 | 15 |
| Abraham Vandegrift | 87,480 | 141 | .. | 87,509 | 100 | .. | 87,538 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |
| Andrew Mannering | 87,481 | 141 | 60 | 87,510 | 100 | .. | 87,539 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |
| John Spencer | 87,482 | 100 | .. | 87,511 | 100 | .. | 87,540 | 135 | 15 | 334 | 15 |
| Philip O'Riley | 87,483 | 141 | 60 | 87,512 | 100 | .. | 87,540 | 134 | 15 | 134 | 15 |
| Barney Gill | 87,484 | 141 | 60 | 87,513 | 100 | .. | 87,541 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |
| Robert Cleghorn | 87,485 | 141 | 60 | 87,514 | 100 | .. | 87,542 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |
| Henry O. Kelly | 87,486 | 141 | 60 | 87,514 | 100 | .. | 87,543 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |
| Samuel Meredith | 87,487 | 141 | 60 | 87,516 | 100 | .. | 87,551 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |
| John Meredith | 87,488 | 141 | 60 | 87,517 | 100 | .. | 87,550 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |
| Stephen Green | 87,489 | 141 | 60 | 87,518 | 100 | .. | 87,544 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |
| Perry Scott | 87,490 | 141 | 60 | 87,519 | 100 | .. | 87,545 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |
| William Jenkins | 87,491 | 141 | 60 | 87,520 | 10 | .. | 87,546 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |
| Joseph Wilson | 87,492 | 141 | 60 | 87,521 | 79 | 15 | | | | 220 | 75 |
| Wiliam Cox | 87,493 | 141 | 60 | 87,522 | 100 | .. | 87,547 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |
| Benjamin Malster | 87,495 | 141 | 60 | 87,523 | 100 | .. | 87,548 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |
| Benjamin Jackson | 87,495 | 141 | 60 | 87,524 | 100 | .. | 87,549 | 134 | 15 | 375 | 75 |

Total received by Captain Heard for the Quota of the S. of Delaware Dollars 11,234 65

Note the Certificates for balance of pay to the 1 Jany. 1782 bear Interest from the 1 Jany. 1782 the Certificates for balance of pay for the year 1782 bear Interest from the 1 Jany. 1783 and the Certificates for balance of pay from the 1 Jany. to the 15 November & the Gratuity (included in the latter) bear Interest from the 15 Nov. 1783.

JOSEPH HOWELL GENL. COMMISSR.

Received March 5th. 1785, of A Dunscomb. Ass. Commissr. Accounts. Three hundred and nine Certificates for full amount of balances due from the United States to the officers and Soldiers of that part of Lieutenant Colonel Lee's Legion of the quoto of the States of New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Delaware, agreeably to Returns, Accounts Current and this Record; from Number 80,343 to 80,495 and from 87,401 to 87,556 both inclusive, Amounting to Forty eight thousand, two hundred & ninety five dollars, for which I hold myself accountable to the Individuals and the Executives of the States respectively—

(Signed) JAMES HEARD

Agent.

Office of Army Accounts. New York July 24th. 1789, I do hereby Certify that the within is a true Return of Certificates issued by the late Commissioner of Army Accounts (Jno. Pierce Esqr. decd) to that part of Colonel Henry Lee's Legion of the Quota of the Delaware State, which Certicates were delivered to Captain James Heard late of sd Legion (acting Agent for that part of the Legion of the Quota of the States of New York, New Jersey, Pennsylva. & Delaware, by Andrew Dunscomb Esqr. Assis. Commissr. for the State of Virga., reference being had to the original receipt (of which the above is a Copy) on record in this Office, will fully appear—

JOSEPH HOWELL Junr. Commissr. & Genl.

Library of Congress.

Received January 24th 1786, from the Auditors for settling the Depreciation of the Pay of the Delaware Regiment, their Certificates in favor of the following persons, late Soldiers in the Delaware Regiment, being for Depreciation of their Pay to the 1st of April 1780, and Pay from thence to 1st of August following Viz:

| No. | Payable to | paid £ | s | d | No. | Payable to | paid £ | s | d |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 541 | Nathan Arnett | 44 | 5 | 3 | | Brought up | 784 | 14 | 6 |
| 542 | Joseph Emerton | 89 | 7 | " | 553 | Robert Thomson | 98 | 3 | " |
| 543 | John Forbes | 85 | 17 | " | 554 | John Todd | 61 | 8 | 8 |
| 544 | John Hatfield | 63 | 2 | " | 555 | Thomas Walker | 88 | 17 | " |
| 545 | Levin Hicks | 27 | | 31 | 556 | Joseph Culver | 25 | 12 | 2 |
| 546 | James Kinney | 63 | 2 | " | 557 | David Davis | 23 | 1 | 8 |
| 547 | Samuel Latimer | 90 | 2 | " | 558 | Isaac Griffiths | 65 | 2 | " |
| 548 | Jasper Muscong | 23 | 1 | 10 | 559 | George Hill | 29 | 16 | 8 |
| 549 | Thomas McCann | 90 | 18 | 8 | 560 | Baylor Gill | 17 | 7 | 6 |
| 550 | Thomas Mattinley | 85 | 17 | 8 | 561 | Samuel Meredith | 12 | 9 | 2 |
| 551 | Littleton Pickering | 60 | 16 | 6 | 562 | Nathan Scotten | 12 | 9 | 2 |
| 552 | Thomas Rhodes | 61 | 2 | " | 563 | John Meredith | 12 | 9 | 2 |
| | Carried up | 784 | 14 | 6 | 664 | Joseph Wilson | 10 | 18 | " |
| | | | | | | Amount | £ 1242 | 8 | 8 |

Amounting in the whole to Twelve hundred and forty two Pounds 8/8d which I Promise to deliver to the persons to whom they are respectively made payable, or to their Legal Representatives when thereunto required—

(Signed) NICHOLAS VANDIKE PRESIDT.

Office of the Commr. of Army Accounts.
Sept. 23rd 89

A true Copy from a Rect. on file in this Office Jno. Wright Clk.

## CERTIFICATES FOR PAY & SUBSISTANCE

We the Officers of the Delaware Regiment, do acknowledge to have received from Captain William McKennan, Agent, the Certificates as described, annexed to our Names, being Securities for the Balance due us, from the 1st of June 1778 to the 1st of August 1780.

| No. | Letter | Date | To whom due | Date of Interest | Am'nt | Received by |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 54120 | N | Mch 1, 1874 | David Hall | Aug. 1,178 | 295.18 | D. Dall |
| 121 | P | do | Joseph Vaughan | do | 196.84 | Chas. Kid for Jos. Vaughan |
| 122 | R | do | John Patton | do | 137.81 | J. Patton Major |
| 123 | D | do | Reuben Gilder | do | 177.11 | R. Gilder Surgeon |
| 124 | E | do | John Platt | do | 59.04 | John Platt Lieut. |
| 125 | G | do | Thomas Anderson | do | 107.80 | Thos. Anderson |
| 126 | N | do | George Purvis | do | 107.80 | John Mitchell |
| 127 | P | do | Robert Kirkwood | do | 118.08 | Robet. Kirkwood Capt. |
| 128 | R | do | Paul Queenault | do | 59.04 | James Clark Adm'r |
| 129 | D | do | John Wilson | do | 125.06 | John Wilson |
| 130 | E | do | Henry Duff | do | 59.04 | Henry Duff |
| 131 | G | do | James Campbell | do | 59.04 | Jas. Campbell |
| 132 | D | do | John Rhodes | do | 69.24 | Nehemiah Tilton Adm'r D.B.N. |
| 133 | E | do | Caleb Bennett | do | 59.04 | Caleb Bennett Lt. |
| 134 | G | do | John Learmonth | do | 118.08 | Nath'l Mitchell pr order |
| 135 | N | do | William McKennan | do | 59.02 | William McKennan Capt. |
| 136 | P | do | Joseph Hosman | do | 59.04 | Edw'd Roche No. 1 pr order |
| 137 | R | do | Daniel P. Cox | do | 59.04 | |
| 138 | H | do | Elijah Skillington | do | 59.04 | A. McLane for Thos. Skillington |
| 139 | J | do | Peter Jaquett | do | 118.08 | Peter Jaquet Capt. D. R. |
| 140 | L | do | Charles Kidd | do | 59.04 | Charles Kidd |
| 141 | D | do | Stephen McWilliam | do | 22.59 | Stephen McWilliam Lieut. |
| 142 | E | do | John Corse | do | 94.85 | John Patton for John Corse |

We the Officers, Noncommissioned officers & privates of the Delaware Regiment, do acknowledge to have received from Captain William McKennan, Agent, the Certificates, as described, annexed to our Names, being Securities for Pay & Subsistance due us, from August 1. 1780 to January . 1782.

| No. | Letter | Date | To whom due | Date of Interest | Am'nt | Received by |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 54143 | G | Mch 1, ,1784 | David Hall | Jan. 1 1782 | 1234.65 | D. Hall |
| 144 | N | do | Joseph Vaughan | do | 36.60 | Charles Kidd for Jos. Vaughan |
| 145 | P | do | George Purvis | do | 30.00 | John Mitchell |
| 146 | R | do | John Patton | do | 23.15 | John Patton |
| 147 | D | do | Thomas Anderson | do | 675.07 | Thos. Anderson |
| 148 | E | do | Reuben Gilder | do | 94.30 | R. Gilder Surgeon |
| 149 | G | do | John Platt | do | 651.35 | John Platt Lieut. |
| 150 | D | do | Robert Kirkwood | do | 481.37 | Robt. Kirkwood Capt. |
| 151 | E | do | Paul Quenoualt | do | 443.07 | James Clark Adm'r |
| 152 | G | do | John Wilson | do | 633.37 | John Wilson |
| 153 | N | do | Henry Duff | do | 15.00 | Henry Duff |
| 154 | P | do | James Campbell | do | 397.33 | Jas. Campbell |
| 155 | R | do | John Rhodes | do | 23.30 | Nehemiah Tilton Adm'r D.B.N. |

| No. | Letter | Date | To whom due | Date of Interest | Am'nt | Received by |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 54156 | N | Jan. 1 1782 | Caleb Pru Bennett | do | 235.63 | Caleb Bennet Lieut. |
| 157 | P | do | John Learmonth | do | 23.30 | Nath'l Mitchell pr Order |
| 158 | R | do | William McKennan | do | 925.52 | William McKennan Capt. |
| 159 | D | do | Joseph Hosman | do | 403.33 | Edward Roche pr order No. 2. |
| 160 | E | do | Daniel Powel Cox | do | 549.67 | |
| 161 | G | do | Elijah Skillington | do | 15.00 | A. McLane for Thos. Skillington |
| 162 | D | do | Peter Jaquett | do | 520.67 | Peter Jaquett Capt. D. R. |
| 163 | E | do | Charles Kidd | do | 403.33 | Charles Kidd |
| 164 | G | do | Stephen McWilliam | do | 15.00 | Stephen McWilliam Lieut. |
| 165 | N | do | James Moore | do | 298.67 | |
| 166 | P | do | John Vance Hyatt | do | 10.13 | Jn. V. Hyatt Lieut D. R. |
| 167 | R | do | John Vaughan | do | 41.75 | |
| 168 | D | do | Robert Oram | do | 170. | Robt. Oram |
| 169 | E | do | Timothy Cook | do | 153. | Timothy Cook |
| 170 | G | do | Samuel Cross | do | 170. | Samuel Cross |
| 171 | N | do | William Maxwell | do | 170. | William Maxwell |
| 172 | P | do | Moses Pharis | do | 170. | Moses Pharis |
| 173 | R | do | William Redden | do | 170. | William Redden |
| 174 | D | do | Thomas McGuire | do | 170. | Thos. McGuire |
| 175 | E | do | Archibald McBride | do | 170. | Arch'd McBride |
| 176 | G | do | Jonathan Jordan | do | 170. | Jonathan Jordan |
| 177 | N | do | William Seymour | do | 170. | |
| 178 | P | do | Hosea Wilson | do | 154. | Hosea Wilson |
| 179 | R | do | John Eshom | do | 154. | John Eshom |
| 180 | D | do | Thomas Thompson | do | 154. | Jo. Vaughan for Thos. Thompson |
| 181 | E | do | Seth Brooks | do | 162. | Seth Brooks |
| 182 | G | do | George Collins | do | 170. | John Collins Adm'r |
| 183 | D | do | James Murphy | do | 154. | Jas. Murphy |
| 184 | E | do | Patrick Dunn | do | 170. | Patt Dunn |
| 185 | G | do | Mitchell Kershaw | do | 170. | Mitchell Kershaw |
| 186 | N | do | Hamilton O'Neil | do | 123.60 | Hamilton O'Neal |
| 187 | P | do | Elijah Houston | do | 124.60 | Elijah Houston |
| 188 | R | do | Henry Rowan | do | 124.60 | Henry Rowan |
| 189 | N | do | Patrick Ducey | do | 124.60 | John Gross Administrator |
| 190 | P | do | Joseph Emerton | do | 124.60 | |
| 191 | R | do | Charles Dowds | do | 124.60 | Charles Dowds |
| 192 | D | do | Nehemiah Nichols | do | 124.60 | Nehemiah Nicols |
| 193 | E | do | Christopher Willett | do | 124.60 | Christopher Willett |
| 194 | G | do | Thomas Nash | do | 124.60 | Thos. McGuire Administrator |
| 195 | A | do | Thomas Townsend | do | 124.60 | Thomas X. Townsend |
| 196 | B | do | Jacob Furbay | do | 35.34 | Jacob Furbee |
| 197 | C | do | Mitchell Lacatt | do | 109.30 | Mitchell X Lacatt |
| 198 | H | do | James Davis | do | 66. | James X Davis |
| 199 | I | do | George Kirts | do | 49.10 | George Kirke |
| 200 | L | do | William Patterson | do | 60.60 | Loianna X Patterson Adm'r |
| 201 | H | do | Thomas Gore | do | 124.60 | Thomas Gore |
| 202 | I | do | Adam Toland | do | 124.60 | Adam X Toland |
| 203 | L | do | William Lewis | do | 124.60 | William Lewis |
| 204 | A | do | Philip Windsor | do | 48.80 | Philip X Windsor |
| 205 | B | do | John Johnson | do | 124.60 | John X Johnson |
| 206 | C | do | William Skinner | do | 124.60 | William Skinner |
| 207 | A | do | John Hackney | do | 124.60 | John Hackney |
| 208 | B | do | William Furbush | do | 124.60 | William X Furbush |
| 209 | C | do | Joseph Staten | do | 124.60 | Joseph Staton |

| No. | Letter | Date | To whom due | Date of Interest | Am'nt | Received by |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 54210 | H | Mch 1, 1784 | John Jackson | Jan. 1 1782 | 91.75 | John Jackson |
| 211 | I | do | George Knock | do | 113.30 | Assigned to Wm. McK |
| 212 | L | do | John Watkins | do | 113.30 | John X. Watkins |
| 213 | A | do | John Rowan | do | 113.30 | John Rowan |
| 214 | B | do | James Neil | do | 113.30 | Rich'd Lockwood Adm'r |
| 215 | C | do | Charles Connelly | do | 113.30 | Charles X Connelly |
| 216 | H | do | Samuel Davis | do | 100.40 | |
| 217 | I | do | John Preston | do | 113.30 | John Preston |
| 218 | L | do | Eli Dodd | do | 113.30 | Eli X Dodd |
| 219 | A | do | Robert Downs | do | 113.30 | Robert Downs |
| 220 | B | do | John McCabe | do | 113.30 | John X McCabe |
| 221 | C | do | Andrew Dixon | do | 113.30 | Edw. Roche pr order No 3 |
| 222 | H | do | William Keys | do | 113.30 | William Keys |
| 223 | I | do | Dennis Dempsey | do | 113.30 | Dennis X Dempsey |
| 224 | L | do | John McKnight | do | 113.30 | John X McKnight |
| 225 | A | do | Patrick Coleman | do | 113.30 | Patt Coleman |
| 226 | B | do | William Orton | do | 113.30 | William X Orton |
| 227 | C | do | Thomas Derrick | do | 113.30 | Thos. Derrick |
| 228 | A | do | Thomas Collins | do | 113.30 | Thomas X Collins |
| 229 | B | do | William Wallace | do | 113.30 | Southen Clampit Administrator |
| 230 | C | do | John Service | do | 113.30 | John X Service |
| 231 | H | do | John Roberts | do | 113.30 | Assigned |
| 232 | I | do | Patrick McCurdy | do | 113.30 | Patrick X McCurdy |
| 223 | L | do | William Barker | do | 113.30 | William Barker |
| 234 | H | do | Benjamin Jones | do | 113.30 | |
| 235 | I | do | Thomas Mason | do | 113.30 | Thomas Mason |
| 236 | L | do | Richard Coffill | do | 113.30 | Richard X Coffill |
| 237 | A | do | Jeremiah Brown | do | 113.30 | Jeremiah X Brown |
| 238 | B | do | Jacob Cork | do | 113.30 | Jacob X Cork |
| 239 | C | do | Robert Miller | do | 113.30 | Robert X Miller |
| 240 | A | do | Joseph Preston | do | 113.30 | Joseph X Preston |
| 241 | B | do | John Lehea | do | 113.30 | Edw. Roche pr order No 4 |
| 242 | C | do | Levin McGee | do | 106.60 | Levin X McGee |
| 243 | H | do | Jenkin Evans | do | 113.30 | Jenkin Evans |
| 244 | I | do | James Moons | do | 113.30 | James X Moons |
| 245 | L | do | Ebenezer Blackshire | do | 113.30 | Ebenezer X Blackshire |
| 246 | A | do | James Turner | do | 113.30 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 5 |
| 247 | B | do | Stephen Bowen | do | 113.30 | Stephen X Bowen |
| 248 | C | do | Timothy Layfield | do | 113.30 | Timothy X Layfield |
| 249 | N | do | John McGill | do | 113.30 | John X McGill |
| 250 | P | do | John Miller | do | 113.30 | Philip Slyver Administrator |
| 251 | R | do | Thomas Rhodes | do | 113.30 | |
| 252 | H | do | William Wright | do | 113.30 | William Wright |
| 253 | I | do | William Lingow | do | 113.30 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 6 |
| 254 | L | do | William Walker | do | 113.30 | William X Walker |
| 255 | A | do | Daniel Lawler | do | 113.30 | Daniel X Lawler |
| 256 | B | do | Levin Pointer | do | 113.30 | Levin Poynter |
| 257 | C | do | Andrew Pollard | do | 113.30 | Andrew X Pollard |
| 258 | A | do | Joseph Ferguson | do | 113.30 | Joseph X Ferguson |
| 259 | B | do | Thomas Holdstone | do | 113.30 | Thomas X Holdstone |
| 260 | C | do | Joshua Brown | do | 113.30 | Joshua X Brown |
| 261 | H | do | John Todd | do | 113.30 | |
| 262 | I | do | Levin Lecatt | do | 113.30 | Levin Lecatt |
| 263 | L | do | Mathew Hilford | do | 113.30 | Mathew Hilford |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 54264 | A | Mch. 1, 1784 | John Turner | Jan. 1, 1782 | 113.30 | John X Turner |
| 265 | B | do | Anthony Delarose | do | 113.30 | |
| 266 | C | do | David Ellis | do | 113.30 | David X Ellis |
| 267 | H | do | Henry Willis | do | 113.30 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 7 |
| 268 | I | do | Edward Morris | do | 113.30 | Edward X Morris |
| 269 | L | do | William Slay | do | 113.30 | William Slay |
| 270 | A | do | James Kimmey | do | 113.30 | James X Kimmey |
| 271 | B | do | William Ake | do | 113.30 | William Ake |
| 272 | C | do | Isaac Landsley | do | 113.30 | Isaac X Landsley |
| 273 | H | do | Robert Streeps | do | 113.30 | Robert X Streeps |
| 274 | I | do | Casa Hall | do | 113.30 | Casa Hall |
| 275 | L | do | Neil Livingston | do | 113.30 | Neil X Livingston |
| 276 | A | do | Moses Nichols | do | 113.30 | Moses X Nichols |
| 277 | B | do | John Fopless | do | 113.30 | John Fopless X |
| 278 | C | do | Stephen Culver | do | 113.30 | Stephen X Culver |
| 279 | H | do | William Plowman | do | 113.30 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 8 |
| 280 | I | do | Peter Lee | do | 113.30 | |
| 281 | L | do | John Benson | do | 113.30 | |
| 282 | A | do | James Wainwright | do | 113.30 | James X Wainwright |
| 283 | B | do | Peter Croft | do | 113.30 | Peter Croft |
| 284 | C | do | William Simpson | do | 113.30 | William X Simpson |
| 285 | H | do | William Kelly | do | 113.30 | Esther Kelly Administrator |
| 286 | I | do | Jacob Burton | do | 113.30 | Jacob Burton |
| 287 | L | do | John Cook | do | 113.30 | John X Cook |
| 288 | A | do | Michael Garvin | do | 113.30 | Michael Gavin |
| 289 | B | do | Thomas Clark | do | 113.30 | S. R. |
| 290 | C | do | Thomas Clemens | do | 113.30 | |
| 291 | H | do | James Demar | do | 113.30 | James X Demar |
| 292 | I | do | William Perry | do | 113.30 | William X Perry |
| 293 | L | do | William Stanton | do | 113.30 | William X Stanton |
| 294 | A | do | Samuel Bass | do | 113.30 | Samuel X Bass |
| 295 | B | do | Jesse Royal | do | 113.30 | James Douglass for J. Royal |
| 296 | C | do | Neil McCann | do | 113.30 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 9 |
| 297 | H | do | John Middleton | do | 113.30 | John X Middleton |
| 298 | I | do | John Brown | do | 113.30 | John X Brown |
| 299 | L | do | Benjamin Moody | do | 66.60 | |
| 300 | A | do | William Fish | do | 113.30 | SAdam X. Toland Adm'r |
| 301 | B | do | Michael Dougherty | do | 113.30 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 10 |
| 302 | C | do | Nathan Bowen | do | 113.30 | |
| 303 | H | do | John Clifton | do | 113.30 | John Clifton |
| 304 | I | do | Daniel Murray | do | 113.30 | Daniel X Murray |
| 305 | L | do | Jonathan Cook | do | 113.30 | Jonathan X Cook |
| 306 | A | do | Cornelius Grimes | do | 113.30 | Margaret Grimes Adm'r |
| 307 | B | do | William Smith | do | 123.30 | William X. Smith |
| 308 | C | do | Whittington Clifton | do | 113.30 | Whittington X Clifton |
| 309 | H | do | John King | do | 113.30 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 11 |
| 310 | I | do | William Alkorn | do | 113.30 | William X Alkorn |
| 311 | L | do | Thomas Gordon | do | 113.30 | |
| 312 | A | do | Henry Norwood | do | 113.30 | Assigned |
| 313 | B | do | George Clifton | do | 113.30 | George X Clifton |
| 314 | A | do | Benjamin Bennett | do | 113.30 | Benjamin X Bennett |
| 315 | H | do | Joseph Fitzgerald | do | 113.30 | Geo. Reed Atty in Fact |
| 316 | I | do | William Murphy | do | 113.30 | William Murphy |
| 317 | L | do | John Pemberton | do | 113.30 | John X Pemberton |

| No. | Letter | Date | To whom due | Date of Interest | Am'nt | Received by |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 318 | A | Mch. 1, 1784 | Thomas Harper | Jan. 1, 1783 | 113.30 | Edw'd Boche No. 11 |
| 319 | B | do | James Cook | do | 113.00 | James Cook |
| 320 | C | do | Arthur Hazzard | do | 113.30 | |
| 321 | H | do | John Gorman | do | 113.30 | |
| 322 | I | do | Kinley Haslet | do | 113.30 | Kinley X Haslet |
| 323 | L | do | Zedekiah Ridgeway | do | 113.30 | Zedekiah Ridgeway |
| 324 | A | do | George Stewart | do | 113.30 | George Stuart |
| 325 | B | do | John Peterson | do | 113.30 | John X Peterson |
| 326 | C | do | Joseph Sapp | do | 113.30 | Joseph X Sapp |
| 327 | N | do | John Carr | do | 113.30 | John X Carr |
| 328 | P | do | Samuel Long | do | 113.30 | Benj'n Coombe Administrator |
| 329 | R | do | Samuel Nichols | do | 113.30 | Samuel Nichols |
| 330 | D | do | William Burchard | do | 106.60 | William Burchard |
| 331 | E | do | William Donaldson | do | 113.30 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 12 |
| 332 | G | do | Robert Stafford | do | 113.30 | Robert Stafford |
| 333 | H | do | Richard Taylor | do | 106.60 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 13 |
| 334 | I | do | John Conner | do | 111.30 | John X Conner |
| 335 | L | do | Thomas Flinn | do | 80. | Thomas Flinn No 14 |
| 336 | A | do | Hugh Coffill | do | 40. | Edw'd Roche pr order 15 |
| 337 | B | do | James Cayton | do | 26.60 | James X Cayton |
| 338 | C | do | Ellis Flowers | do | 53.50 | |
| 339 | A | do | John Robinson | do | 33.30 | Assigned Wm. McKennan |
| 340 | B | do | William Bassford | do | 53.30 | William Lingo Adm'r |
| 341 | C | do | William Jones | do | 62.40 | |
| 342 | H | do | Richard Cogan | do | 62. | Richard X Cogan |
| 343 | I | do | Major Hitchens | do | 60.20 | Major X Hitchens |
| 344 | L | do | John Waples | do | 55.70 | Patience Waples Adm'r |
| 345 | N | do | Robert Carr | do | 80. | Elijah Collins Adm'r |
| 346 | P | do | James Lenard | do | 113.30 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 16 |
| 347 | R | do | Lewis Jones | do | 62.60 | Thomas Jones Adm'r |
| 348 | D | do | Joseph Hammond | do | 113.30 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 17 |
| 349 | E | do | John Ryan | do | 63.70 | John Ryan |
| 350 | G | do | Samuel Banks | do | 60.60 | Samuel Banks |
| 351 | D | do | James Warrick | do | 60.40 | Wm. McKennan Adm'r |
| 352 | E | do | Joseph Thompson | do | 65.50 | Joseph X Thompson |
| 353 | G | do | Gilbert Mariner | do | 64.20 | Gilbert Mariner |
| 354 | N | do | William Hudson | do | 86.60 | William X Hudson |
| 355 | P | do | John Aull | do | 64.40 | Sinclair Lancaster Adm'r |
| 356 | R | do | Aaron Teazer | do | 53.10 | Aaron X Teazer |
| 357 | A | do | Lot Ford | do | 40. | Edw'd Polk Atty in Fact |
| 358 | B | do | David Hanzer | do | 48.60 | Adm'rs |
| 359 | C | do | Edward Harman | do | 47.70 | Edward X Harman |
| 360 | H | do | James O'Neil | do | 56.40 | James X O'Neil |
| 361 | I | do | Preston Hutt | do | 61.10 | Preston X Hutt |
| 362 | L | do | John Belford | do | 60. | |
| 363 | D | do | George Lehea | do | 64.80 | |
| 364 | E | do | William Simmons | do | 45.50 | William X Simmons |
| 356 | G | do | William McGauhy | do | 49.70 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 18 |
| 366 | N | do | John Griskin | do | 56. | Edw'd Roche pr order No. 19 |
| 367 | P | do | James McGee | do | 64.80 | James McGee |
| 368 | R | do | Samuel Kain | do | 52.40 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 20 |
| 369 | D | do | James Young | do | 64.60 | Edw'd Roche pr order No 21 |
| 370 | E | do | Patrick Connelly | do | 54.40 | Patrick Conelly |
| 371 | N | do | John Hanna | do | 59.30 | John Hanna |

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| 372 | P | Mch. 1, 1784 | Peter Becket | Jan. 1, 1783 | 50.40 | Peter X Becket |
| 373 | R | do | Abraham Wiles | do | 65.70 | Mary Wilds Adm'r |
| 374 | D | do | Thomas Powell | do | 53.10 | Thomas Powell |
| 375 | E | do | Roger McBride | do | 62.40 | Edw'd Roche No 22 |
| 376 | G | do | Philip S. Little | do | 65.70 | Philip S. X. Little |
| 377 | N | do | Joseph McGibbons | do | 53.30 | |
| 378 | P | do | William Flanagan | do | 59.30 | William X Flanagan |
| 379 | R | do | Thomas Cox | do | 53.30 | John Mitchell |
| 380 | D | do | Laben Turner | do | 76.60 | Laben Turner |
| 381 | E | do | Caleb Hitchens | do | 50.00 | Caleb X Hitchen |
| 382 | G | do | Daniel Cochran | do | 12.30 | Daniel X Cochran |
| 383 | N | do | John Dovin | do | 5.30 | |
| 384 | P | do | Bartholomew Adams | do | 113.30 | Bartholomew X Adams |
| 385 | R | do | Henry Nesbitt | do | 113.30 | Henry Nesbit |
| 386 | D | do | James Weed | do | 66.60 | James X Weed |
| 387 | E | do | Timothy Kilkenny | do | 113.30 | Timothy Kilkenny |
| 388 | G | do | William Hook | do | 113.30 | William X Hook |
| 389 | N | do | Elias Bowyers | do | 2.60 | Elias X Bowyers |
| 390 | P | do | Dorias Burns | do | 6.60 | Dorias X Burns |
| 391 | R | do | William Johnson | do | 1.50 | William Johnson |
| 392 | D | do | James Husbands | do | 124.60 | James Husbands |
| 393 | E | do | Zadock Morris | do | 113.30 | Zadock Morris |
| 394 | G | do | Isaac Millaway | do | 63.10 | Isaac X Millaway |
| 395 | N | do | Joshua Kingham | do | 113.30 | Joshua Kingham X |
| 60551 | N | May 1, 1884 | John Cazier | do | 1.10 | Jacob Cazier Adm'r |
| 552 | P | do | Robert Thompson | do | 42.48 | |
| 553 | R | do | William Haigans | do | 37.10 | Margaret Haigans Adm'r |
| 554 | A | do | William Drew | do | 49.70 | Joseph Caldwell Adm'r |
| 555 | B | do | John Stewart | do | 88.20 | Sarah Wilson Adm'r |
| 556 | C | do | Richard Currypool | do | 77.50 | |
| 557 | N | do | John Hatfield | do | 37.50 | |
| 558 | P | do | James Scott | do | 37.50 | |
| 559 | R | do | Samuel Dodd | do | 77.50 | Eli Dodd Adm'r |
| 560 | N | do | John Cornill | do | 37.50 | William Peery for John Cornwell |
| 561 | P | do | Richard Treasure | do | 37.50 | Richard X Treasure |
| 562 | R | do | John Toland | do | 49.70 | Adam Toland Adm'r |
| 563 | D | do | Cornelius Hagney | do | 49.70 | Katharine Hagney Adm'r |
| 564 | E | do | William Guthery | do | 88.20 | Thos. McGuire Adm'r |
| 565 | G | do | William Willis | do | 60. | John Willis Adm'r |
| 566 | N | do | Thomas Walker | do | 38.60 | |
| 567 | P | do | David Young | do | 60.60 | James Smith Adm'r |
| 568 | R | do | Isaac Williams | do | 88.60 | Spencer Williams Adm'r |
| 569 | H | do | George Hill | do | 56.40 | |
| 570 | I | do | James Wilkinson | do | 53.30 | Adam Wilkinson Adm'r |
| 571 | L | do | Frederick Holden | do | 35.30 | William Haldon Adm'r |
| 572 | D | do | Jesse Timmons | do | 26.60 | Simon Kollock |
| 573 | E | do | Levin Culver | do | 40. | |
| 60574 | G | do | Andrew Cuningham | do | 56.40 | Ann Cuningham Adm'r |
| 575 | A | do | Mattocks Turner | do | 26.20 | |
| 576 | B | do | William Craig | do | 41.50 | |
| 577 | C | do | Charles Darrah | do | 57.70 | Edw'd Roche pr order N 25 |
| 578 | N | do | Nathaniel Bryan | do | 57.30 | |
| 579 | P | do | John Goodwin | do | 46.60 | William Godwin Adm'r |
| 580 | R | do | Richard Boniface | do | 40. | |

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| 581 | H | do | Thomas Dugan | do | 62. | Katharine Bayley Adm'r |
| 582 | I | do | Silas Bennett | do | 60. | Susannah Bennett Adm'r |
| 583 | L | do | William Lewis | do | 88.80 | Margaret Lewis Adm'r |
| 60645 | H | do | Samuel Wooden | do | 80. | Samuel X Wooden |
| 646 | I | do | Isaiah Clifton | do | 53.30 | Isaiah Clifton |

We the Officers, noncommissioned officers & privates of the Delaware Regiment do acknowledge to have received from Capt. William McKennan, Agent, the Certificates as described, annexed to our Names, being Securities for the Balance of Pay due us from January 1st. to November 3rd. 1783.

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| 55100 | C | Mch 1, 1784 | Joseph Vaughan | Nov. 41783 | 266. | Charles Kidd for Jos Vaughan |
| 101 | A | do | John Patton | do | 127. | J. Patton Major |
| 102 | B | do | Rueben Gilder | do | 296.25 | R. Gilder Surgeon |
| 103 | C | do | William McKennan | do | 181.60 | William McKennan Capt. |
| 104 | H | do | Caleb Pru Bennett | do | 257.87 | Caleb Bennett Lieut. |
| 105 | I | do | Robert Kirkwood | do | 204. | Robt. Kirkwood Capt. |
| 106 | R | do | James Moore | do | 191.30 | |
| 107 | A | do | John Learmonth | do | 169.30 | Nath'n Mitchell pr order |
| 108 | B | do | Peter Jaquett | do | 196. | Peter Jaquett Capt. D. R. |
| 109 | C | do | James Campbell | do | 129. | Jas. Campbell |
| 110 | D | do | Joseph Hosman | do | 129. | Edw'd Roche No 29 |
| 111 | E | do | Elijah Skillington | do | 11.20 | Thos. Skillington Adm'r |
| 112 | G | do | Thomas Anderson | do | 119.60 | Thos. Anderson |
| 113 | H | do | Charles Kidd | do | 136. | Charles Kidd |
| 114 | I | do | John Platt | do | 129. | John Platt Lieut |
| 115 | L | do | William Seymour | do | 61. | |
| 116 | A | do | Robert Oram | do | 61. | Robt. Oram |
| 117 | B | do | Timothy Cook | do | 54.81 | Timothy Cook |
| 118 | C | do | Thomas McGuire | do | 61. | Thos. McGuire |
| 119 | A | do | John Eshom | do | 61. | John Eshom |
| 120 | B | do | Seth Brooks | do | 61.00 | Seth Brooks |
| 121 | C | do | Jonathan Jordan | do | 61.00 | Jonathan Jordan |
| 122 | H | do | Hosea Wilson | do | 61. | Hosea Wilson |
| 123 | I | do | Moses Pharis | do | 61. | Moses Pharis |
| 124 | L | do | Thomas Nash | do | 36.60 | Thos. McGuire Adm'r |
| 125 | H | do | Mitchell Lacatt | do | 44.60 | Mitchell X Lacatt |
| 126 | I | do | Nehemiah Nichols | do | 44.66 | Nehemiah Nichols |
| 127 | L | do | Henry Rowan | do | 44.66 | Henry Rowan |
| 128 | D | do | John Johnson | do | 44.66 | John X Johnson |
| 129 | E | do | William Skinner | do | 44.66 | William Skinner |
| 130 | G | do | Thomas Gore | do | 44.66 | Thomas Gore |
| 131 | N | do | Philip Windsor | do | 44.60 | Philip X Windsor |
| 132 | P | do | John Rowan | do | 61. | John Rowan |
| 133 | R | do | John Watkins | do | 40.60 | John Watkins X |
| 134 | A | do | Christopher Willet | do | 40.60 | Christopher Willet |
| 135 | B | do | James Davis | do | 40.60 | James X Davis |
| 136 | C | do | Charles Connelly | do | 40.60 | Charles X Connelly |
| 137 | H | do | John Preston | do | 40.60 | John Preston |
| 138 | I | do | Eli Dodd | do | 40.60 | Eli Dodd |

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| 139 | L | do | Robert Downs | do | 40.40 | Robert Downs |
| 140 | A | do | John McCabe | do | 40.60 | John X McCabe |
| 141 | B | do | Andrew Dixon | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 3 |
| 142 | C | do | William Keys | do | 40.40 | William Keys |
| 143 | H | do | Dennis Dempsey | do | 40.60 | Dennis X Dempsey |
| 144 | I | do | John McKnight | do | 40.60 | John X McKnight |
| 145 | L | do | Patrick Coleman | do | 40.60 | Patt Coleman |
| 146 | A | do | William Orton | do | 40.60 | William X Orton |
| 147 | B | do | Thomas Derrick | do | 40.60 | Thosh. Derrick |
| 148 | C | do | Thomas Collins | do | 40.60 | Thomas X Collins |
| 149 | H | do | William Wallace | do | 6.60 | Jonathan Clampt Adm'r |
| 150 | I | do | John Service | do | 40.60 | John X Service |
| 151 | L | do | John Roberts | do | 40.60 | Andr'w Hutten |
| 152 | A | do | Patrick McCurdy | do | 40.60 | Patrick X McCurdy |
| 153 | B | do | William Barker | do | 40.60 | William Barker |
| 154 | C | do | Benjamin Jones | do | 40.60 | |
| 155 | H | do | Thomas Mason | do | 40.60 | Thomas Mason |
| 156 | I | do | Jacob Cork | do | 40.60 | Jacob X Cork |
| 157 | L | do | Robert Miller | do | 40.60 | Tobert X Miller |
| 158 | H | do | Joseph Preston | do | 40.60 | Joseph X Preston |
| 159 | I | do | John Lehea | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 4 |
| 160 | L | do | Jenkin Evans | do | 40.60 | Jenkins Efvans |
| 161 | A | do | Levin McGee | do | 40.60 | Levin X McGee |
| 162 | B | do | Ebenezer Blackshire | do | 40.60 | Ebenezer X Blackshire |
| 163 | C | do | William Walker | do | 40.60 | William X Walker |
| 164 | H | do | Daniel Lawler | do | 40.60 | Daniel X Lawler |
| 165 | I | do | James Turner | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche BNo 5 |
| 166 | L | do | Lewis Jones | do | 15.30 | Thomas Jones Adm'r |
| 167 | A | do | William Burchard | do | 40.60 | William Burchard |
| 168 | B | do | James Lennard | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 16 |
| 169 | C | do | William Simmons | do | 40.60 | William X Simmons |
| 170 | N | do | Joseph Hammon | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 17 |
| 171 | P | do | Major Hitchens | do | 40.60 | Major X Hitchens |
| 172 | R | do | James O'Neil | do | 40.60 | James O'Neil |
| 173 | N | do | Gilbert Mariner | do | 40.60 | Gilbert Mariner |
| 174 | P | do | William Lingo | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 6 |
| 175 | R | do | John Griskin | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 19 |
| 176 | D | do | William Flanagan | do | 40.60 | William X Flanagan |
| 177 | E | do | Thomas Powell | do | 40.60 | Thomas Powell |
| 178 | G | do | Henry Hudson | do | 40.60 | Henry X Hundson |
| 179 | N | do | John Ryan | do | 40.60 | John Ryan |
| 180 | P | do | David Hanzer | do | 40.60 | David Hanzer Adm'r |
| 181 | R | do | Edward Harman | do | 40.60 | Edward X Harman |
| 182 | D | do | Aaron Teazer | do | 40.60 | Aaron Teazer X |
| 183 | E | do | Lot Ford | do | 40.60 | Edw. Polk Atty in Fact |
| 184 | G | do | Peter Beckett | do | 40.60 | Peter X Beckett |
| 185 | N | do | Hugh Coffill | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 15 |
| 186 | P | do | Samuel Kain | do | 38. | Edw'd Roche No 20 |
| 187 | R | do | Jeremiah Brown | do | 40.60 | Jeremiah X Brown |
| 188 | N | do | Richard Coffill | do | 5.70 | Richard X Coffill |
| 189 | P | do | Stephen Bowen | do | 40.60 | Stephen X Bowen |
| 190 | R | do | Timothy Layfield | do | 40.60 | Timothy X Layfield |
| 191 | D | do | John McGill | do | 40.60 | John McGill X |
| 192 | E | do | William Wright | do | 40.60 | William Wright |

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| 193 | G | do | John Miller | do | 48.80 | Philip Slyver Adm'r |
| 194 | N | do | Thomas Rhodes | do | 67.30 | |
| 195 | P | do | Patrick Connelly | do | 40.60 | Patrick Connelly |
| 196 | R | do | Philip Little | do | 40.60 | Philip S. X Little |
| 197 | D | do | Robert Stafford | do | 40.60 | Robert Stafford |
| 198 | E | do | William McGauhy | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 18 |
| 199 | G | do | John Belford | do | 40.60 | |
| 200 | A | do | Caleb Hitchens | do | 40.60 | Caleb Hitchens |
| 201 | B | do | Laben Turner | do | 40.60 | Laben Turner |
| 202 | C | do | Levin Pointer | do | 5.70 | Levin Poynter |
| 203 | D | do | William Jones | do | 29.10 | |
| 204 | E | do | Joseph McAfee | do | 40.60 | Joseph X McAfee |
| 205 | G | do | John Robinson | do | 67.30 | Assigned Wm. McKennan |
| 206 | N | do | Thomas Thompson | do | 61. | Jo. Vaughan for Thos. Thompson |
| 207 | P | do | Samuel Cross | do | 61. | Samuel Cross |
| 208 | R | do | James Murphy | do | 61. | Jas. Murphy |
| 209 | D | do | William Maxwell | do | 61. | Wm. Maxwell |
| 210 | E | do | Hamilton O'Neil | do | 61. | Hamilton O'Neil |
| 211 | G | do | Archibald McBride | do | 9.30 | Arch'd McBride |
| 212 | N | do | Elijah Houston | do | 44.66 | Elijah Houston |
| 213 | P | do | Jacob Furbee | do | 11.88 | John Patton for J. Furbee |
| 214 | R | do | William Patterson | do | 7.30 | Loranna Patterson Adm'r |
| 215 | D | do | George Kirts | do | 44.66 | George Kirke |
| 216 | E | do | Thomas Townsend | do | 44.66 | Thomas X Townsend |
| 217 | G | do | Adam Toland | do | 44.66 | Adam X Toland |
| 218 | N | do | William Lewis | do | 74.06 | William Lewis |
| 219 | P | do | Joseph Staton | do | 44.66 | Joseph Staton |
| 220 | R | do | John Hackney | do | 44.66 | John Hackney |
| 221 | A | do | Michael Dougherty | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 10 |
| 222 | B | do | Mathew Hilford | do | 40.60 | Mathew Hilford |
| 223 | C | do | John Turner | do | 40.60 | John X Turner |
| 224 | N | do | Anthony Delarose | do | 40.60 | |
| 225 | P | do | David Ellis | do | 40.60 | David X Ellis |
| 226 | R | do | Henry Willis | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No. 7 |
| 227 | D | do | Edward Morris | do | 40.60 | Edward X Morris |
| 228 | E | do | William Slay | do | 40.60 | William Slay |
| 229 | G | do | James Kimmey | do | 40.60 | James X Kimmey |
| 230 | N | do | William Ake | do | 40.60 | William Ake |
| 231 | P | do | Isaac Landsley | do | 40.60 | Isaac X Landsley |
| 232 | R | do | Robert Streeps | do | 40.60 | Robert X Streeps |
| 233 | N | do | William Furbush | do | 40.60 | William X Furbush |
| 234 | P | do | Casa Hall | do | 40.60 | Casa Hall |
| 235 | R | do | Moses Nichols | do | 40.60 | Moses X Nichols |
| 236 | G | do | John Fopless | do | 40.60 | John X Fopless |
| 237 | E | do | Stephen Culver | do | 40.60 | Stephen X Culver |
| 238 | D | do | William Ploughman | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 8 |
| 239 | D | do | Peter Lee | do | 40-60 | |
| 240 | E | do | John Benson | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 30 |
| 241 | G | do | James Wainwright | do | 40.60 | James X Wainwright |
| 242 | D | do | William Simpson | do | 40.60 | William X Simpson |
| 243 | E | do | Michael Garvin | do | 40.60 | Michael Gavin |
| 244 | G | do | Thomas Clark | do | 40.60 | |
| 245 | N | do | James Demar | do | 40.60 | James X Demar |
| 246 | P | do | William Perry | do | 40.60 | William X Perry |

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| 247 | R | Mch. 1, 1784 | William Stanton | Nov.4 1783 | 40.60 | William X Stanton |
| 248 | H | do | Samuel Bass | do | 40.60 | Samuel X Bass |
| 249 | I | do | Jesse Royal | do | 40.60 | James Douglas Fo J. Royal |
| 250 | L | do | Neil McCann | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 9 |
| 251 | A | do | John Middleton | do | 40.60 | John X Middleton |
| 252 | B | do | Nathan Bowen | do | 40.60 | |
| 253 | C | do | Daniel Murray | do | 40.60 | Daniel X Murray |
| 254 | A | do | Thomas Harper | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 11 |
| 255 | B | do | James Cook | do | 40.60 | James Cook |
| 256 | C | do | Samuel Long | do | 36.00 | Benjamin Coombe Adm'r |
| 257 | C | do | William Jones | do | 22. | |
| 258 | B | do | Samuel Nichols | do | 40.60 | Samuel Nichols |
| 259 | A | do | William Donaldson | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No. 12 |
| 260 | H | do | Samuel Banks | do | 40.60 | Samuel Banks |
| 261 | I | do | Joseph Thompson | do | 40.60 | Joseph X Thompson |
| 262 | L | do | John Conner | do | 40.60 | Joseph X Conner |
| 263 | H | do | Isaac Millaway | do | 40.60 | Isaac X Millaway |
| 264 | I | do | George Clifton | do | 40.60 | George X Clifton |
| 265 | L | do | Joseph Fitzgerald | do | 40.60 | Geo. Reed Atty in Fact |
| 266 | A | do | William Murphy | do | 40.60 | William X Murphy |
| 267 | B | do | Thomas Flinn | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 15 |
| 268 | C | do | William Hudson | do | 40.60 | William X Hudson |
| 269 | H | do | Abraham Wiles | do | 40.60 | |
| 270 | I | do | Johathan Cook | do | 40.60 | Jonathan X Cook |
| 271 | L | do | Peter Croft | do | 40.60 | Peter Corft |
| 272 | D | do | Richard Cogan | do | 40.60 | Richard X Cogan |
| 273 | E | do | Preston Hutt | do | 40.60 | Preston X Hutt |
| 274 | G | do | Cornelius Grimes | do | 35.10 | Mary Grimes Adm'r |
| 275 | H | do | James McGee | do | 40.60 | James McGee |
| 276 | I | do | Benjamin Moody | do | 40.60 | |
| 277 | L | do | William Bassford | do | 13.30 | William Lingo Adm'r |
| 278 | A | do | Jacob Burton | do | 40.60 | Jacob Burton |
| 279 | B | do | John Cook | do | 40.60 | John Cook |
| 280 | C | do | William Alkorn | do | 40.60 | William X Alkorn |
| 281 | H | do | Whittington Clifton | do | 40.60 | Whittington X Clifton |
| 282 | I | do | John King | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 23 |
| 283 | L | do | William Smith | do | 40.60 | William X Smith |
| 284 | A | do | Richard Taylor | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 13 |
| 285 | B | do | James Young | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 21 |
| 286 | C | do | Thomas Cox | do | 24.60 | John Mitcthell |
| 287 | H | do | Benjamin Bennett | do | 40.60 | Benjamin Bennett X |
| 288 | I | do | Roger McBride | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No. 22 |
| 289 | L | do | Thomas Gordon | do | 40.60 | |
| 290 | A | do | Henry Norwood | do | 40.60 | John Clifton |
| 291 | B | do | John Clifton | do | 40.60 | Assigned Adam Towland |
| 292 | C | do | Neil Livingtson | do | 40.60 | Neil X Livingston |
| 293 | D | do | Joshua Brown | do | 5.50 | John X Brown |
| 294 | E | do | John Barns | do | 40.80 | John Barns |
| 295 | G | do | Mitchell Kershaw | do | 61. | Mitchell Kershaw |
| 296 | A | do | William Reddin | do | 8. | William Reddin |
| 297 | B | do | Patrick Dunn | do | 8.30 | Patt Dunn |
| 298 | C | do | Daniel Cochran | do | 61. | Daniel X Chocran |
| 299 | H | do | James Husbands | do | 40.60 | James Husbands |
| 300 | I | do | William Forsythe | do | 43.30 | Dan'l Cahoon pr order |

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| 301 | L | Mch. 1 1784 | Eli Waples | Nov. 4 1783 | 40. | Eli Waples |
| 302 | A | do | Elias Bowyer | do | 44.60 | Elias X Bowyer |
| 303 | B | do | Charles Dowds | do | 6.10 | Charles Dowds |
| 304 | C | do | John Jackson | do | 44.60 | John Jackson |
| 305 | H | do | James Lowe | do | 64.36 | |
| 306 | I | do | William Cavender | do | 45.35 | William Cavender |
| 307 | L | do | Thomas Clark | do | 40.60 | Thomas Clark |
| 308 | H | do | Nelson Waller | do | 40.60 | Nelson Waller |
| 309 | I | do | Samuel Wooden | do | 40.60 | Samuel X Wooden |
| 310 | L | do | Joseph English | do | 40.80 | Joseph X English |
| 311 | A | do | Edward Whaley | do | 40.60 | John Clowes Atty. in Fact |
| 312 | B | do | Henry Nesbitt | do | 40.60 | Henry Nesbitt |
| 313 | C | do | Richard Murphy | do | 40.60 | |
| 314 | H | do | David Dorman | do | 40.60 | David X Dorman |
| 315 | I | do | Frazier Gray | do | 40.60 | Frazier Gray |
| 316 | L | do | Dolby Wooden | do | 40.60 | Mitchell Kershaw Atty in fact |
| 317 | A | do | Robert Timmons | do | 40.60 | Robert X Timmons |
| 318 | B | do | Timothy Kilkenny | do | 40.60 | Timothy Kilkenny X |
| 319 | C | do | William Evans | do | 40.60 | |
| 320 | H | do | William Johnston | do | 40.60 | William Johnston |
| 321 | I | do | William Holdston | do | 48.20 | William X Holdston |
| 322 | L | do | Robert Knoles | do | 40.60 | John Knoles pr order. |
| 323 | N | do | Staton Morris | do | 40.60 | Staton X Morris |
| 324 | P | do | John McGonnegal | do | 40.60 | John McGonagale |
| 325 | R | do | Dorias Burns | do | 40.60 | Dorias X Burns |
| 326 | A | do | Zadock Morris | do | 40.60 | Zadock Morris |
| 327 | B | do | Andrew Donald | do | 40.60 | Andrew X Donald |
| 328 | C | do | Joshua Brown | do | 40.60 | Joshua X Brown |
| 329 | N | do | William Hock | do | 40.60 | William X Hock |
| 330 | P | do | Samuel Billeter | do | 40.60 | Assigned William Sullivan |
| 331 | R | do | Levi Bright | do | 40.60 | Levi Bright |
| 332 | D | do | William Drury | do | 40.60 | William X Drury |
| 333 | E | do | John Dovin | do | 40.60 | John Dovin |
| 334 | G | do | Peter Pusley | do | 40.60 | Peter X Pursley |
| 335 | N | do | Samuel Darragh | do | 40.60 | |
| 336 | P | do | Henry Manship | do | 40.60 | Henry Manship |
| 337 | R | do | James Turner | do | 40.60 | James X Turner |
| 338 | D | do | William Miller | do | 40.60 | William Miller |
| 339 | E | do | John Hannah | do | 40.60 | John Hanna |
| 340 | G | do | James Weed | do | 40.60 | James X Weed |
| 341 | D | do | William Sullivan | do | 40.60 | William X Sullivan |
| 342 | E | do | John White | do | 40.60 | John White |
| 343 | G | do | David Ford | do | 40.60 | David X Ford |
| 344 | G | do | Henry Roberts | do | 40.60 | Henry X Roberts |
| 345 | E | do | Charles Wharton | do | 40.60 | Charles Whorton |
| 346 | G | do | Thomas Leiger | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 26 |
| 347 | N | do | Mathais Hobs | do | 40.60 | Matthias Hobbs |
| 348 | P | do | Isaac Woods | do | 40.60 | John Noles pr order |
| 349 | R | do | Charles Marine | do | 40.60 | Charles X Marine |
| 350 | N | do | Joseph McGibbons | do | 1. | |
| 351 | P | do | Levin Lacatt | do | 40.60 | Levin Lecatt |
| 352 | R | do | Bartholomew Adam | do | 40.60 | Bartholomew X Adams |
| 353 | D | do | Levin Culver | do | 47. | |
| 354 | E | do | Samuel Massey | do | 40.80 | |

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| 355 | G | do | John Barkuss | do | 40.80 | John X Barkuss |
| 356 | N | do | Joshua Timmons | do | 40.80 | Joshua X Timmons |
| 357 | P | do | Samuel Lingow | do | 40.80 | Samuel X Lingow |
| 358 | R | do | Samuel Buskirk | do | 40.60 | Samuel X Buskirk |
| 359 | A | do | James Cooper | do | 40.20 | James X Cooper |
| 360 | B | do | John Briann | do | 40.60 | John X Briann |
| 361 | C | do | Henry Burns | do | 40.60 | |
| 362 | N | do | John Reardon | do | 40.60 | John X Reardon |
| 363 | P | do | Barney Cox | do | 40.60 | Edw'd Roche No 27 |
| 364 | R | do | Andrew Pollard | do | 5.50 | Andrew X Pollard |
| 365 | H | do | Joseph Sapp | do | 5.50 | Joseph X Sapp |
| 366 | I | do | John Peterson | do | 5.50 | John Peterson X |
| 367 | D | do | Joseph Ferguson | do | 5.50 | Joseph X Ferguson |
| 368 | E | do | Zedekiah Ridgeway | do | 5.50 | Zedekiah Ridgway |
| 369 | G | do | Kinley Hazlet | do | 5.50 | Kinley X Hazlet |
| 370 | H | do | Isaiah Clifton | do | 40.60 | Isaiah Clifton |
| 371 | I | do | George Stewart | do | 5.50 | George Stuart |
| 372 | L | do | Thomas Holdston | do | 5.50 | Thomas X Holdston |

We the Officers of the Delaware Regiment, do acknowledge to have received from Capt. William McKennan, Agent, the Certificates, as described, annexed to our Names, being Securities for Commutation of five years full pay, in Lieu of half pay for life.

| No. | Letter | Date | To whom due | Date of Interest | Amount Dolls | cts | Received by |
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| 54671 | A | Mch. 1 1784 | Joseph Vaughan | Nov.4 1783 | 1200 | | Charles Kidd for |
| 672 | B | do | do | do | 1200 | | Jos. Vaughan |
| 673 | C | do | do | do | 1200 | | |
| 674 | A | do | John Patton | do | 1000 | | |
| 675 | B | do | do | do | 1000 | | J. Patton Major |
| 676 | C | do | do | do | 1000 | | |
| 677 | H | do | Reuben Gilder | do | 800 | | |
| 678 | I | do | do | do | 800 | | R. Gilder Surgeon |
| 679 | L | do | do | do | 800 | | |
| 680 | H | do | William McKennan | do | 800 | | |
| 681 | I | do | do | do | 800 | | William McKennan Capt. |
| 682 | L | do | do | do | 736 | 60 | |
| 683 | A | do | Robert Kirkwood | do | 800 | | |
| 684 | B | do | do | do | 800 | | Robert. Kirkwood Capt. |
| 685 | C | do | do | do | 80 | | |
| 686 | H | do | James Moore | do | 800 | | |
| 687 | I | do | do | do | 800 | | |
| 688 | L | do | do | do | 800 | | |
| 689 | A | do | John Learmouth | do | 800 | | |
| 690 | B | do | do | do | 800 | | Nath'l Mitchell pr order |
| 691 | C | do | do | do | 800 | | |
| 692 | H | do | Peter Jaquett | do | 800 | | |
| 693 | I | do | do | do | 800 | | Peter Jaquett Capt. D. R. |
| 694 | L | do | do | do | 800 | | |
| 695 | A | do | Caleb Pru Bennett | do | 800 | | |
| 696 | B | do | do | do | 800 | | Caleb Bennett Lt. |
| 697 | C | do | do | do | 600 | | |

| No. | Letter | Date | To whom due | Date of Interest | Amount Dolls | cts | Received by |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 54698 | H | Mch. 1, 1784 | James Campbell | Nov. 41783 | 500 | | |
| 699 | I | do | do | do | 500 | | Jas. Campbell |
| 700 | L | do | do | do | 600 | | |
| 701 | A | do | Joseph Hossman | do | 500 | | |
| 702 | B | do | do | do | 500 | | Edw'd Roche No 28 |
| 703 | C | do | do | do | 600 | | |
| 704 | H | do | Elijah Skillington | do | 500 | | |
| 705 | I | do | do | do | 500 | | A. McLane for E. Skillington |
| 706 | L | do | do | do | 600 | | |
| 707 | R | do | Thomas Anderson | do | 500 | | |
| 708 | B | do | do | do | 500 | | Thos. Anderson |
| 709 | C | do | do | do | 600 | | |
| 710 | H | do | Charles Kidd | do | 500 | | |
| 711 | I | do | do | do | 500 | | Charles Kidd |
| 712 | L | do | do | do | 600 | | |
| 713 | A | do | John Platt | do | 500 | | |
| 714 | B | do | do | do | 500 | | John Platt Lieut. |
| 715 | C | do | do | do | 600 | | |
| 60600 | N | May 1 1784 | John Wilson | do | 700 | | |
| 601 | P | do | do | do | 800 | | John Wilson |
| 602 | R | do | do | do | 800 | | |
| 603 | D | do | Daniel Powell Cox | do | 800 | | |
| 604 | E | do | do | do | 800 | | |
| 605 | G | do | do | do | 800 | | |
| 606 | D | do | George Purvis | do | 800 | | |
| 607 | E | do | do | do | 800 | | John Mitchell |
| 608 | G | do | do | do | 760 | | |
| 609 | N | do | Henry Duff | do | 800 | | |
| 610 | P | do | do | do | 800 | | Henry Duff |
| 611 | R | do | do | do | 760 | | |
| 612 | D | do | John Vance Hyatt | do | 500 | | |
| 613 | E | do | do | do | 500 | | Jn. V. Hyatt Lieut. D. R. |
| 614 | G | do | do | do | 573 | 30 | |
| 615 | N | do | Stephen McWilliam | do | 500 | | |
| 616 | P | do | do | do | 500 | | Steph'n McWilliam Lieut. |
| 617 | R | do | do | do | 573 | 30 | |
| 618 | D | do | John Vaughan | do | 500 | | |
| 619 | E | do | do | do | 500 | | |
| 620 | G | do | do | do | 573 | 30 | |

## DEPRECIATION CERTIFICATES SUSPENDED

An Amount of Depreciation Certificates suspended from Payment by an Act passed January 29th. 1790

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Nathan Arnett | | £ 44. 5. 3 |
| Joseph Culver | | 25.12. 2 |
| David Davis | | 23. 1. 8 |
| Joseph Emerton | | 89. 7. 0 |
| John Forbes | | 85.17. 0 |
| Isaac Griffith | | 65. 2. 0 |
| Baylor Gill | | 17. 7. 6 |
| Levin Hicks | | 27. 3. 1 |
| George Hill | | 29.16. 8 |
| James Kinney | | 62. 3. 0 |
| Samuel Latimer | | 90. 1.10 |
| Jasper Muscong | | 23. 1.10 |
| Thomas McCann | | 90.18. 8 |
| Thomas Matinly | | 85.17. 0 |
| John Meredith | | 12. 9. 2 |
| Littleton Pickering | | 60.16. 8 |
| Thomas Rhodes | | 61. 2. 0 |
| Nathan Scotten | | 12. 9. 2 |
| Robert Thompson | | 98. 3. 0 |
| John Todd | | 61. 8. 8 |
| Thomas Walker. | | 88.17. 0 |
| Joseph Wilson | | 10.18. 0 |
| Patrick Burke | 90.18. 8 | Suspended on a charge of Desertion |
| John Cullen | 61.22. 0 | |
| James Corse | 31.16. 1 | |
| William Dixon | 83.11. 5 | |
| Daniel Daily | 88.15. 0 | Suspended for Various reasons |
| John King | 85.17. 0 | |
| Peter Records | 66.18. 8 | |
| James Kimmey | 29. 5. 4 | |
| Thomas Donaldson | 100. 1. 4 | |
| John Vinyard | 86.17. 2 | |

Delivered Nicholas Van Dyke Esq.

## NAMES OF THE PRISONERS

1 Bennett Bryan Sussex
2 John Depray Kent
3 Richard Clifton Kent
4 George Stewart Kent
5 , Eliphas Morris Kent
6 Samuel Basnet Sussex
7 Caleb Davis Kent
8 John Bell Sussex
9 Nathan Griffin Kent
10 John Fisher Sussex
11 Samuel Griffin Kent
12 Robert Bell Suxssex
13 Daniel Clifton Kent
14 Whittington Clifton Kent
15 Sheppard Bryan Sussex
16 Boaz Morriss Kent
17 Jeremiah M. Kent
18 Nimrod Morris Kent
19 John Kendall
20 Evan Morgan Kent
21 Robert Walker Kent
22 Willy Staten Kent

## NAMES OF TORIES

Esther West
William Williams
Littleton Townsend
Jacob Mason
William Hinds
Collins Truitt
Michell Tatman
Joseph Stokely
John Truit
William Davis
Pemberton Carlisle

The above persons were taken together mostly in arms, the others mostly making cartridges.

## CASH PAID TO THE DELAWARES OFFICERS 2d. REGIM'T.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 1 | James Tresham Adjutant | £ 100:0:0 |
| 2 | William McClement Capn. J. P. £ 100 | £ 150:0:0 |
| 3 | Saml Derrickson Lieut. Sussex County | £ 100:0:0 |
| 4 | Robert Wilcox Surgeon | £ 100:0:0 |
| 5 | William Moore Capt. Sussex County | £ 50:0:0 |
| 6 | Saml. Moore Ensign | £ 100:0:0 |
| 7 | John West Quarter Master | £ 100:0:0 |
| 8 | Peter Jaquett Ensign | £ 100:0:0 |
| 9 | Joseph Enos Lieut. | £ 100:0:0 |
| 10 | Lucas Stidham Lieut. | £ 100:0:0 |
| 11 | Hugh McCracken Capt. | £ 150:0:0 |
| 12 | To Lucas Stidham Lieut. | £ 100:0:0 |
| 13 | To Robt. Wilcox Surgeon | £ 100:0:0 |
| 14 | To Peter Jaquett Ensign | £ 100:0:0 |
| 15 | Samul. Moore Ensign | £ 100:0:0 |
| | | 1700:0: |
| 16 | To Lucas Stidham by order of Capt. McClement | £ 150: |
| | | £ 1850:0:0 |

May 28th Recd. at Settlemt. from Saml. Patterson Esq. Delaware State Treasurer Four Thousand Nine Hundred and 33.30 dollars out of the 15m:m: tax in full—4933 .

or 4933.30 Dolls

ROBERT BRYAN

N. B. In this account £ 100 paid John Pipes, for which there is a Receipt, is omitted to be charged.

## BILL OF HON. GEORGE READ

Dr The Delaware State to George Read.

For his Attendance in Congress from the 1st. Nov. 1777 to Sept. 1777, 262 days as follows:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Nov. 1775 to 3rd. Jany. 1776 | 63 days @ 20/ P day | £ 63. 0. 0 |
| 22 Jan. 1776 to 8 March | 46 do | 46. 0. 0 |
| 8 April to 9 May | 31 do | 31. 0. 0 |
| 23 May to 12 June | 20 do | 20. 0. 0 |
| 1 July to 21st. | 20 do | 20. 0. 0 |
| 29 July to 25th. August | 26 do | 26. 0. 0 |
| between 23rd. Sept & 26th. Oct. | 20 do | 20. 0. 0 |
| 1st. Dec to 13th. | 12 do | 12. 0. 0 |
| For March 1777 | 5 do | 5. 0. 0 |
| and in Sept following | 19 do | 19. 0. 0 |
| For 5½ Months Acting and doing the duty of Vice president of the State to wit from 15th Oct 1777 to beginning of April following (if this Charge shall not be thought inconpatible with the Allowance made to J. McKinly Esq. as President of the State then a prisoner @ 200 P Ann | | 91.13. 4 |
| For Advocating a Claim on the part of the State to the Schooner Resolution libeled agt. in the Court of Admiralty by A Joseph Poor & others & also claimed by Jas. McCullough this at the request of President Rodney | | 35. 0. 0 |
| For Advocating a claim of the State to the Schooner Fortune libelled against by a Thos. Godwin & at, & after decree drawing a State of the case proceedings for Jas. Wilson Esq Council on the Appeal at request of President Rodney | | 35. 0. 0 |
| | | 432.13. 4 |

To Auditor McComb Geo. Read

To Eleazar McComb Esq., Auditor of Accounts for the Delaware State

Sir.

I have again Stated my account as in the preceding page against the Delaware State least my former Acct. which I delivered to you in June last should be mislaid, or not have come to your hands from Wilmington, where I think you told me in October last it was with other of your papers—I believe this Acct. to be similar to the former one except a mistake in the Computation of the 5½ months as Vice President, which in the draught I have stands at 91.15. 2 when it ought to have been 91.13.4—I must request your Auditing and reporting upon this Acct. of mine at the first sitting of the General Assembly in the next Month.

What rendered my attendance in Congress so interrupted a one as appears in my Acct. was the different public Characters I was to Act in at that period, to Wit. of A Member in the General Council of Safety for the State, a Member of Assembly as well as a delegate from the State to Congress. In Jany. 1776 I left Philada. and attended the Council of Safety at Dover for Arrangement of the Officers—first appointed for the Delaware Regiment, being at that time I believe the only one of the three Deligates that had a seat in the Council of Safety—There were two if not three Sessions of Assembly in the Spring and Summer of 1776 all of which I attended—and such was the critical situation of public affairs at that time that the

Delegates from this State, being then also members of Assembly thought it expedient for some one or more of them to be at each Session to urge and explain the recommendations of Congress so as to have them adopted by the Assembly, this business fell principally on Mr. Rodney and myself—Mr. McKean then residing with his family at Philada. but I believe that at none of these times the State was unrepresented in Congress—On the 27th. of August 1776 The Convention of this State for forming the System of Government met and as a member I attended—as also the General Assembly under that System on the 28th. of Oct. following—In Feby. 1777 being Speaker of the Council, A Resolve of the House of Assembly passed excusing my attendance in Congress until the 1st of June following unless my private affairs sho'd. admit of any attendance in the mean time—In March 1777. on the return of Congress to Philada. from Baltimore at the request of President Hancock I attended for few days than to make up the representation of a 7th State to enable that body to Act upon the public dispatches recd. in the intermediate time under a promise that I sho'd be at liberty to retire when an additional representation came in which happened in the five days.

Then as to my charge for doing the duty of Vice President I apprehend that at no one period since the Revolution more business for such Officers occurred than within that time and from the situation of the Enemy then, I had to place my family near the Susquehanna in Cecil County, and to take up my own residence occasionally at a diversity of Inns as circumstances & attention to particular duties required.—

As to the next charge on Acct. of the Schooner Resolution I drew up the original draught of the Claim on the part of the State which was filed in the Cause, attended every Examn. of wit's. which were many—and after argued the Cause as Council for the State; having at an early rejected an offer made me by Jas. Cullough also a claimant on behalf of himself and others of more than three times the sum of my charge in the annexed Account.

As to the last of my charges, I state extra duty done by me—Mr. Sykes knows of this, as I was called upon by Mr. Rodney and his Council then at New Castle for that State of Proceedings, which was after deliv'rd by me to Mr. Wilson.

My reason for not Exhibiting this Account at an earlier period than June last—The Multitude of demands on the State, and to avoid a suspicion that might have been plausibly suggested—that Members of the Legislature would take care to have themselves paid first.

Geo Read of N Castle
13th. Dec. 1786.

N. Castle 29th. Dec. 1786.

Sir.

I had your favour of the 29th. Instant wherein you state the two only doubts which you have as to the allowance of my Acct. Exhibited against the Delaware State. The first as to the time of my Adm'r of the Government commencing to which I inform you that I passed over the Delaware from Salem in New Jersey to Xtiana Bridge on Monday the 13th Oct. 1777. lodged that night at the house of John Lewden the night following at Col: Forster's where Mr. Vandyke now lives—and on the 15th. being at the Redlyon Inn a written paper subscribed with the

name of Thos Mackenzie as Capt. of the Lizard Ship of War demanding David Chambers, Henry Whichear & Robert Shepherd as belonging to the sd. Ship alledging as a reason for their return that no violence had been offered by the Companies of any of the Ships of War to the inhabitants of the neighbourhood—these 3 people had been taken on the Tuesday morning by Capt Lewis's Company of Militia at Capt. Grantham's shore Landing place, upon the delivery of this paper at the Redlyon Inn I was called upon by Capt. Alexr. Porter and others of the neighbourhood to direct the Re-delivery of these 3 men to prevent the retaliation threatened in Mackenzie's written note—however I delined complying with their request—If you shou'd have the leisure to Examine the minutes of the Council you will find I attended at Dover the Meeting of the General Assembly at the usual time in Oct.—and tho' the Ho. of Assembly did not make a Quorum—then from the disturbances at the Sussex Election which prevented a choise for that County—That the Council sat until the 29th. of Oct. and did divers publick Acts which they had the assent of the attending Members of the Ho: of Assembly to and which were after confirmed. Then upon Examining the Minutes of Council farther you will find That President Rodney was not Sworn into Office until the 1st. or 2nd. of April 1778 which furnishes the time I have charged—What Acts may appear to have been done by President McKean either on or after the 16th. of Oct. 1777 I cannot pretend to say but I suspect that if any he was not within the State—The last Act which I recollect to have had any knowledge of was some Genrl. Orders of the 14th. Oct. respecting the Whig Battalion he had projected the raising of—as to the issuing of Commissions (such as the approbation of the privy Council were necessary for) I sho'd suppose none were issued other than were directed by their Acts—a report of which was made by Prest. McKean —to the General Assembly at Dover in Oct. 1777 a copy of which taken by myself on the 24th of that month at Dover I have now before me the last Act there, mentioned is the appointment of one major General C Rodney and three Brigad'rs—viz J. Dagworthy J Dickinson & S. Patterson—Mr. Dickinson's Commission is dated ye 26th Sept. 1777. the day of the appointm't —Resigned to me ye 19th. Dec. following, as never having Acted under it.—

Then as to ye 2nd. doubt ought to be allowed for the Extra Service mentioned in the last Art's of Charge—I apprehend I have been mistaken as to my views in mentioning this extra Service they were not to have any addition made to the sums carried out—as they appear on the state of the Acct. to be the whole of my charge therefore: but as other Gent: had like allow'ns heretofore made—I have noticed these Extra Services which I have it in my power to show Evidence of with an Expectation that my charge would be considered as a very moderate one under the Circumstances and to take off a doubt of my being entitled to the sums there charged.

I have been thus Minute from a desire to give full and satisfactory information with respect to my claims on the publick as every one ought to do who make any and this must Apologize for the trouble I give in so doing

and I am Sir

You'r Most Obed't Serv't,

Geo. Read

Eleazar McComb Esq.
Auditor of Accounts
for the Delaware State

Dr. The UNITED STATES in A/C with the DELAWARE STATE for sundry expenses for Militia services &c.

| No. | Date of paym't | NAMES | Amt. in specie | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1776 May 8th. | Thomas Groves& D. Hazard | 232.86. 0 | No account, purport unknown |
| 2 | " July 5 | John Mitchel | 266.60. 0 | Advanced to supply Troops with provisions |
| 3 | " ' 5 | William Peery | 134.65. 0 | Wages & board for his company of Militia |
| 4 | " " 13 | Nathan Adams | 26.00. 0 | Subsistance to a company of Militia |
| 5 | " Dec. 19 | John Banning | 148.66. 0 | For sundry articles said to be delivered sundry Officers |
| 6 | " " 19 | William Peery | 106.64. 0 | Advanced to equip his company |
| 7 | 1779 Feb. 20 | Nicholas Vandyke | 4.37. 0 | for what purpose unknown |
| 8 | " Mch. 16 | Thomas Groves | 12.29.03 | Pay of his company at a Tory alarm |
| 9 | ' " 19 | Simon Edwards | 5.57.04 | Services as baker |
| 10 | " " 27 | Capt. Wingate | | Pay of his company |
| 11 | " " " | John F. Creighton | 94.15. 0 | 55 mens board 15 days |
| 12 | " " " | John Mirtchel | | sundries supplied the Militia, pay of services &c. |
| 13 | 1780 Feb. 13 | William Hudson | 2.46.05 | supplies furnished |
| 14 | " " " | John Banning | | supplies furnished |
| 15 | " Mch. 7 | James Townsend | 80. 3 | assisting Constables to apprehend John Ashworth & Jos. Edenfield |
| 16 | 1786 " 30 | Henry Forster | 28.69. 0 | |
| 17 | Jan. 14 | Caleb Barrett | 28.69. 0 | Traveling expenses |
| 18 | | Conrad Gray | 1.76. 0 | nursing a sick Militia Officer |
| 19 | | William Rhoads | 181.16. 0 | pay of Field Officers belonging to the Militia |
| 20 | 1787 Apr. 7 | N. S. Wright | 19.81. 0 | supplies furnished men after deserters & traitors |
| 21 | 1780 Feb. 16 | Philip Barrett | | Pay of Field & Staff Officers |
| 22 | | Sarah Noxen | 2.74. 6 | Supplies furnished |
| 23 | | Isaac Dushane | 2.74. 6 | Hay |
| 24 | Oct. 23 | John Bell | 48.84. 0 | Expenses after Tories |
| 25 | Nov. 29 | Stephen Townsend | 14.06. 0 | Supplies furnished |
| 26 | 1777 Jul. 27 | John Collins | 5.30. 0 | |
| 27 | 1776 Sep. 3 | Moses Hutson | 13.53. 0 | |
| 28 | | William Baker | 24.24. 0 | |
| 29 | 9 | Jacob Lycan | 2.44. 0 | |
| 30 | | Eleonor Furbert | 1.39. 0 | |
| 31 | | Cuthbert Cole | 14.52. 0 | |
| 32 | | David Gordon | 5.18. 0 | |
| 33 | Oct. 1 | Mary Ann Whittall | 1.27. 0 | |

| No. | Date of paym't | NAMES | Amt. in specie | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 34 | Oct. 5 | Mary Lackey | 1. | |
| 35 | 26 | Alexander Worknot | 45.72. 4 | |
| 36 | Dec. 9 | Simon Vanwinckle | 105.25. 0 | 76 cartouch boxes said to be deld Capt. Manlove & Lt. Skillington |
| 37 | | William Rhoads | 101.35. 0 | Pay & Rations of Field & Staff |
| 38 | Sep. 26 | Elizabeth Lindsay | 3.27 | |
| 39 | 1778 Mch. 8 | William Bowness | 9.61 | Services rendered |
| 40 | 1777 Sep. 15 | David Hall Sen. | 936.28 | |
| 41 | | Ann Westley | 4. | Services as cook |
| 42 | | William Rhoads | 12.20 | Rations to Militia Officers |
| 43 | 1787 Apr. 7 | Elijah Bartlett | 10. | Hauling stores |
| 44 | 1776 Jul. 23 | Levin Records | 7.24 | Boarding Capt. Stidham |
| 45 | 1779 Mch. 13 | John Dutton | | Riding express &c. |
| 46 | 1776 Mch. 26 | Henry Fisher | 63.62 | Supplies furnished |
| 47 | May 24 | Levin Hill | 120. | Pay & subsistance to a guard on south Beach of Indian River |
| 48 | Jun. 6 | John Jones | 108.75 | Ditto |
| 49 | 17 | ditto | 13.37 | Expenses at an alarm |
| 50 | | Capt. Burton Waples | 90.38 | Attending an alarm |
| 51 | | David Hall | 154.60 | Services rendered |
| 52 | 22 | William Newbold | 27.30 | Supplies furnished Militia |
| 53 | 25 | Francis Connelly | 10. | Rum & candles furnishes Militia |
| 54 | Jul. 5 | John Evans | 72.74 | Boarding guards |
| 55 | 13 | Henry Fisher | 8. | Services |
| 56 | Sep. 7 | John Collins | 92.57 | Expenses attending General Dagworthy |
| 57 | Nov. 18 | Ann Westley | | Services rendered Militia |
| 58 | Dec. 13 | Thomas Rodney | 136. | Advanced to support his Company |
| 59 | 1777 Jan. 4 | John Gordon | 400.0 | ditto said to be appropriated for the Militia |
| 60 | Apr. 26 | Thomas Collins | 100. | ditto for the use of the Militia |
| 61 | Jul. 12 | William Conwell | 87.60 | Services |
| 62 | Sep. 8 | Joseph Marshall | 9. | Rations |
| 63 | 10 | ditto | 22. | What purport unknown |
| 64 | Nov. | Gen. John Dagworthy | 23. | Services |
| 65 | 28 | John Casson | 821.34 | Sundry expenses, purport unascertained |
| 66 | Dec. 5 | Samuel Patterson | 58.60 | Expenses at Newark |
| 67 | 1788 Mch. 7 | Henry Fisher | 105.60 | Victuals supplied the Militia & services performed |
| 68 | 1779 May 31 | William McClay | 489.09 | Sundry supplies and expenses for the Militia |

| No. | Date of paym't | NAMES | Amt. in specie | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 69 | 1780 5 | Edward Roach Lt. | 510.00 | Services as issueing Comy for 8 months |
| 70 | Feb. 16 | John Clowes | 7874.60 | Expenses, purport not known |
| 71 | | Jones & Mitchell | 264.12 | Order David Hall without date or direction |
| 72 | 1778 Apr. 28 | John Bell | 355.61 | Charged for sundry articles of clothing unaccounted for |
| 73 | | ditto | 21. | Services rendered the State |
| 74 | | ditto | 37.30 | ditto |
| 75 | Nov. 9 | Lawrence Riely | 14.30 | Supplies furnished |
| 76 | 1783 Apr. 5 | ditto | 3.39 | ditto ditto |
| 77 | Jan. 20 | James Jones | 69.30 | Medicine and attendance to a militia soldier |
| 78 | 1781 Nov. 15 | Joseph Hall | 123.08 | ditto ditto |
| 79 | Sep. 2 | John Smith | 40. | Nursing and attendance |
| 80 | | William Conwell | 40. | ditto ditto |
| 81 | | Eli Conwell | 40. | ditto ditto |
| 82 | 1782 May 8 | Matthew Wilson | 18.60 | Attendance and medicine to Elias Mason clothier |
| 83 | 1787 5 | James Rench | 80. | ditto ditto to wounded prisoners |
| 84 | 1784 Aug. 24 | Sarah Mason | 42.22 | Nursing and burying Elias Mason |
| 85 | 1781 | Nathaniel Young | 8.45 | ditto Elias Mason |
| 86 | 1782 Jan. 7 | Julius Augstus Jackson | 7.72 | ditto ditto |
| 87 | 1784 Sep. 1 | Agnus Andrew | 8.30 | ditto ditto |
| 88 | Aug. 23 | Ann Tull | 9.18 | ditto ditto |
| 89 | 1778 Mch. 18 | David Cummings | 111.78 | Charged for his own & mens pay, deserted at Battle of Brandywine |
| 90 | 1786 Dec. 13 | Nehemiah Davis | 2.54 | Supplies furnished the Militia |
| 91 | Oct. 20 | Ephraim Polk | 1.78 | ditto ditto |
| 92 | Dec. 13 | Charles Draper | 13.63 | ditto ditto |
| 93 | Oct. 25 | William Bell | 11.22 | ditto ditto |
| 94 | 1787 Jan. 2 | Dorman Lofland | 4.12 | ditto ditto |
| 95 | 1786 Dec. 17 | John Clendaniel | 3.30 | ditto ditto |
| 96 | Oct. 25 | William Bell | 2.12 | ditto ditto |
| 97 | | Thomas Bell | 1.60 | ditto ditto |
| 98 | 1778 May 19 | Thomas Wild | 258.48 | Supplies to British prisoners & deserters |
| 99 | 1783 Jan. 3 | George Walton | 7.06 | ditto furnished Wm. Perry |
| 100 | 1778 Apr. 3 | Nath'l S. T. Wright | 162.53 | Victuals supplied Militia |
| 101 | 1776 | Charles West | 46.06 | For 27 Blankets |
| 102 | 1786 Dec. 13 | John Collins | 99.30 | 4 Barrels pork said to be delivered on board guard vessels |
| 103 | 1781 Sep. 4 | Henry Killen | 8.24 | Victuals supplied the Militia |

| No. | Date of paym't | NAME | Amt. in specie | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 104 | 1778 Jun. | Wm. Patterson | 376.59 | Recruiting expenses |
| 105 | 1776 Aug. 19 | William Moody | 118.24 | 52 Blankets |
| 106 | 1777 Feb. 8 | ditto | 62.33 | Expenses &c. |
| 107 | 1787 Apr. 7 | Caleb Cirwithin | 26.75 | Sundry expenses collecting militia &c. |
| 108 | Oct. 25 | Robert Hogden | 52.70 | 10 Blankets |
| 109 | 1779 Mch. 4 | Caleb Cirwithin | 15.27 | Services |
| 110 | 1780 Feb. 9 | Henry Neil | 10.18 | |
| 111 | 1777 Jul. 30 | Thomas Groves Capt. | 38.83 | Pay for his Company of Militia |
| 112 | Sep. 25 | John Mitchell | 400. | Money Advanced |
| 113 | | John Rodney | 800. | ditto |
| 114 | 1779 Dec. 20 | Nathaniel Waples | 19. | Charged for services |
| 115 | Mch. 18 | Henry Fisher | 59.30 | Victuals supplied |
| 116 | 1778 6 | John Vent | 6.00 | Services |
| 117 | 1777 Apr. 11 | Samuel Ownes | 23.27 | ditto |
| 118 | 1779 Mch. 13 | Clark Nottingham | 7.48 | ditto |
| 119 | 1777 Sep. 6 | Thomas Clark | 49.00 | 360 lbs Beef |
| 120 | Jun. 25 | John Clowes | 10.60 | Supplies |
| 121 | 1786 Oct. 25 | Thomas Bell | 4.84 | Services performed |
| 122 | | William Bell | 3.12 | ditto |
| 123 | 1783 Jan. 5 | James McNeil | 2.18 | Expenses of prisoners |
| 124 | 1780 Aug. 14 | John Clowes | 5377.60 | |
| 125 | 1776 May 18 | John Jones | 9.19 | Supplies |
| 126 | Nov. 5 | Andrew McIlvain | 6.74 | Money advanced |
| 127 | Jun. 6 | John Jones | 9.81 | ditto |
| 128 | Apr. 18 | John Evans | 28.40 | ditto |
| 129 | 4 | Joseph Hazzard | 30.64 | ditto |
| 130 | 1776 Aug. 24 | George Wiltbank | 78.37 | ditto |
| 131 | Jul. 10 | John Futcher | 2.76 | 32 lbs Bacon furnished Capt. Lawrence |
| 132 | Apl. 11 | John Woodgate | 24.40 | Sundry expenses after amunition |
| 133 | May 15 | Sundry Persons | 68.21 | Money advanced for work at Pilot Town fort |
| 134 | 1781 Aug. | James Pollock Capt. | 89. | For pay of his Company |
| 135 | Sep. | John Midcalf | 6. | Supplies |
| 136 | 1780 Dec. 16 | | 30.76 | |
| 137 | 1788 May 27 | Zachariah Harris | 27.25 | Articles furnished |
| 138 | 1785 Feb. 27 | George Howard | 5.66 | ditto |

| No. | Date of paym't | NAME | Am't. in specie | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 139 | 1788 Jul. 22 | Joseph Stedham | 42.08 | Charged for Jos. Enos Lt. of Militia pay |
| 140 | | ditto | 23.18 | " " Israel Vanleuveneigh " |
| 141 | | Littleton Townsend | 13.70 | For Isaac Tires pay in the Militia |
| 142 | 28 | George Parker | 23.30 | For Cornelius Belvail private pay in Col. Neils Reg. |
| 143 | Sep. 23 | George Russell | 24.00 | For John Russell " " " " " |
| 144 | 1788 Jul. 28 | George Parker | 46.00 | For Jacob & Robert Sheets " " " " " |
| 145 | 1786 Dec. 20 | Littleton Townsend | 72.00 | Pay for three privates |
| 146 | 1788 Jul. 28 | George Parker | 24.00 | Pay of Matthew Williams private |
| 147 | | ditto | 24.00 | Pay of James Davis |
| 148 | | ditto | 6.45 | Expenditure not shown |
| 149 | 1787 Jul. 12 | Elias Conwell | 13.30 | ditto |
| 150 | 14 | William Conwell | 13.30 | ditto |
| 151 | 1788 May 19 | William Riley | 14.60 | ditto |
| 152 | 3 | John Rhoads | 26.31 | ditto |
| 153 | Mch. 25 | Richard Dallinor | 33.20 | ditto |
| 154 | Apr. 3 | James Jones | 75.00 | ditto |
| 155 | 1787 Aug. 7 | Rhoads Shanklin | 134.14 | ditto |
| 156 | 1788 May 2 | Charles Polk Sen. | 2.30 | ditto |
| 157 | 1787 Apr. 2 | Robert Layton | 1.45 | ditto |
| 158 | 1788 May | Charles Polk Jr. | 1.60 | ditto |
| 159 | 1787 Apr. 2 | Lowder Layton | 2.30 | ditto |
| 160 | | Thomas Bradley | 2.00 | ditto |
| 161 | Oct. 20 | John Williams | 24.00 | Charged for his pay in Col. Neil's Reg. |
| 162 | Nov. 8 | William Massey | 22.66 | ditto " " " " " " |
| 163 | 1780 Aug. 30 | Abijah Phillips | 111.84 | Not settled by the State |
| 164 | 1779 Mch. 20 | Thomas January | 120.79 | |
| 164 | 1787 Nov. 10 | Rhoda Perkins | 5.00 | Charged expenditures |
| 165 | Oct. 22 | John Craven | 12.00 | |
| 166 | 1782 Jun. 7 | John Taylor | 12.00 | For riding express |
| 167 | 1777 Oct. 10 | John Freeman | 46.60 | ditto ditto |
| 168 | 1787 Apr. 24 | Thomas Carey | 2.60 | Making a coffin |
| 169 | 1776 Oct. 25 | William Davis | 1.48 | Prison fees |
| 170 | 1788 Mch. 2 | William Hemple | 9.30 | Clothing purchased, Capt. Purvis |
| 171 | 1778 Jan. 5 | Mark McCall | 10.60 | Expenses of express to Gen. Smallwood |
| 172 | | Philip Barrett | 18.60 | Expenses collecting Qr. Mast. & Com'y costs |

| No. | Date of Paym't | NAME | Amt.. in specie | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 173 | | Thomas Duff | 30.00 | ditto ditto ditto |
| 174 | 1776 Jul. 10 | Samuel Darby | 2.76 | 32 lbs Bacon |
| 175 | 1780 May 3 | William McKennan | 274.15 | |
| 176 | | William McClay | 670.03 | |
| 177 | 1777 Mch. 13 | John S. Dorman | 46.40 | Supplies |
| 178 | Sep. 14 | William Jordan | | Filed with Peter Barrett's Acco. |
| 179 | 1781 Nov. | James Moore | 18.60 | Nursing Stephen Durrell in the smallpox |
| 180 | 1776 Jul. 18 | Jean Oakley | 11.00 | Charged for prison fees, deserters |
| 181 | 1779 Feb. 4 | Isabella Arnold | 298.63 | House rent |
| 182 | 177 Jun. 1 | | 450.54 | 111 Blankets |
| 183 | 1776 Aug. 11 | Samuel Patterson | 5333.30 | Advanced, to be accounted for |
| 184 | Jan. | John Dickson | 154.73 | Sundry expenses |
| 185 | 1780 May 22 | Jonathan Wolfe | | 5 days service of a team |
| 186 | 1781 Apr. 27 | Francis Bailey | 10.45 | Printing deprediation Certificates |
| 187 | 1776 Aug. 4 | Joseph Jones | 18.60 | Hauling powder and guns |
| 188 | 1778 Mch. 6 | James Wood | 10.00 | Services |
| 189 | 1786 27 | Elias Wood | 27.72 | Services and supplies |
| 190 | 1776 Dec. 26 | Charles Ridgely | 7.37 | Hospital supplies |
| 191 | 1782 May 10 | ditto | 14.37 | ditto |

## AFFIDAVIT OF JOHN LEARMONTH

To all whom it may concern, I John Learmonth of Lewes in the county of Sussex and State of Delaware, do hereby certify, and will verify the same by oath whensoever required.

That near the commencement of our struggle with Britain for freedom and independence, I was commissioned a second Lieutenant in the company whereof the present Colonel Hall of Lewes was the Captain, & Genathon Harney was first Lieutenant, in the Delaware Regiment, then Commanded by Col. Hazlet, By resignation of the elder officer & death of Hazlet, Hall was promoted to be Colonel & Harney being taken Prisoner, I obtained the Captaincy of the said company; we both held those commissions during the residue of the war from the respective times of our appointments. I do declare that during the whole of the war, & from that period until the publication in the Monitor, I never heard, observed, nor thought that the Colonel in any situation ever had, or showed the least Sympton of Cowardice, and more particularly with regard to the battle on Longisland, (which is the place where he is said to have exhibited his cowardice). I do assert and declare that I was present under his command there & that being second Lieutenant, & the company standing & marching two deep I was at his back, or else at his left hand all the time the troops were formed, which was until we came to the fording place & Harney at the other end of the company I believe, where the ensign ought to have been had he been present. In that battle there was a large body of the enemy in our front, we were on an eminence, but advanced to meet them with whom we were some time at long shot, East River was on our right; we observed that another very large body were attacking our rear, to either of which bodies we were in the whole vastly unequal; at this moment General Washington sent us orders to retreat, & a guide to pilot us off thro' the water by nearer rout, which was some distance in our rear to arrive at the fording, we faced about & arrived at it before the main body which was in our rear got to us, their vanguard of about 30 men met us, with clubbed muskets as if surrendering, but they afterwards presented them and fired on us, our front then fired on them who (every man was said) fell, this was by two or more of Colonel Smallwood's companies who had been ordered to march off from the rest, to receive the vanguard as prisoners; those companies served to impede the march of the British, & give us time to file off to the left, having by this time arrived at our fording place. Our Company was the last company that crossed the fording, & Captain Hall & myself in the rear of our company & of the whole body, except the company's above mentioned who being already severed as above mentioned were given to the enemy to save the retreat. When we arrived at the fording, our company received orders to halt to assist those companies, Capt. Hall commanded them to halt, & to form, but before he could get them formed, the orders were countermanded by some superior officer, I suppose Lord Sterling who was in the rear. Those of the enemy we first engaged, arrived at the eminence above mentioned, & fired grape shot at us plentifully while fording, & before we got over the other body who were in our rear fired warmly on us. from an obliquely opposite hill. I remember well Capt. Hall laughed at me struggling in the mud, as being short I got fast in it several times, we were then hindmost of those croosing & much exposed to the enemies, thirteen of our body were said to be killed in fording. I was with Captain Hall the whole time we were on the island,

& know that he was not absent, nor missing from his stand next to me, the whole time, nor do I remember of seeing a stack of hay, or of anything else on the island. I well remember at the commencement of that action & several other times that day, to have heard Capt. Hall reprove some of his men for dodging at shot, he said it was of no use, or it did no good. He appeared to me that day to act without a sympton of fear, or cowardice, as indeed I have always esteemed a sober solid & intrepid man.—

I have heard that a certain first lieutenant of Captain Vaughan's company in the Delaware regiment, found in the course of that day a stack of flax, (but I did not see it) which thing was discovered, as( every such thing is among an army of soldiers), & for which he was disgraced, & left this company for fear of the consequences.—I mention this supposing the fabricator of the falsehood took his materials from that occurence.

I am very certain Colonel Hall was universally esteemed at camp. by both officers ,& private soldiers, for his steady, and regular, conduct, and intriped manner.

This will make oath to when requested.

J. LEARMONTH

Original owned by Mr. Willard S. Morse, Seaford, Del.

## PETITION OF CHARLES CAHOON

For pay for Colours and Guns

The STATE of DELAWARE

To CHARLES CAHOON Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1775 | To a Stand of Colours lent to Colonel Thomas Collins which he never returned but made use of for the Cross Roads Company of Militia | £ 6. 0. 0 |
| | Two two Musquits lent and not returned, which he applied to the use of the Militia when called out, one at 37/6, and the other at 15/ | 2.12. 6 |
| | | 8.12 .6 |

To the Honourable house of Assembly of the Delaware State in Dover Sitting—

The petition of Charles Cahoon Humbly Showeth—

Whereas your petitioner in the time of the Dispute between great britting & America having several guns and a Stan of Cullers, was Caled on by general Collins for his two guns & his Stan of Cullers Telling him the above petitioner that if the guns or Cullers was lost that he should be paid for them the affs'd petitioner Says he nor no person by or under him, never got any Satisfaction for the same, your petitioner prays that you would take it into your wise Consideration and allow him what you think meet & your petitioner Shall Ever bound in Duty pray

June 10th. 1793

CHARLES CAHOON

## PETITION OF GILES BENNETT

To the Honorable the Judges of the Delaware State

The petition of Giles Bennett, most humbly Showeth, that your petitioner was servant to Mr. Samuel Morrison of Christiana Bridge, A Lieut. in the Army, who wanted to go and attend on him, but as your petitioner is troubled with the falling sickness he left him

Shortly after he was taken up & lodged in New Castle Goal, where he has remained for upwards of three months in a deplorable condition, Your petitioner most humbly requests your Honours to take his case under your Consideration, & allow him such relief as in your clemency shall seem meet & your Petitioner as in Duty bound will ever pray

## A DELAWARE SOLDIER

Thomas Donaldson in Spencers Regiment—Eleazer McCombs letter Dec 7th 1798 to Jos. Howell Jr.

Commissioner of Army Accts.

N. York

See copy in Legislature proceedings, 1790.

## PETITION OF PETER JAQUETT

Your Memorilest would respectfully State that he served in the Delaware Regiment attached to the Maryland line under orders of Gen'l Washington in the States of Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York and the Eastern States, from the 4th. of January 1776 Until April 1780, and had an active part in all the actions fought during that time when, the Del. Regt. then consisting of eight Companies, commanded by Col. David Hall & attachd to the Maryland line, was ordered to S. Carolina Under the Command of Gen. H. Geats, and on the 16th of August of that year was defeated near Camden S. Carolina, and the Del. Reg. reduced from 8 to 2 Companies. In September the remains of the army where collected & randevoused at Hilsborough in N. Carolina under orders of Gen. Smallwood, Soon after Gen. Green took the Command, when it was found that the Del. Reg. could not muster more than 200 effective men, these by order of Gen. Green was placed under the command of Capt. Robert Kirkwood & Capt. Peter Jaquett as the two Sener Surviving Captains of the Del. Regt. with their Subaltern Officers forming two Companies of 96 men each—see the returns made and sent to the Executive of this State and now in the possession of Thos. Rodney Esq. dated Aug. 30 1780 and signed by Capt. Kirkwood & Jaquett, the field officers and all the other officers except Capts. KcKennon & Queenault, Lieut Bennett & Hyatt were killed, wounded or prisoners—the four last named officers was sent to the Delaware State on the recruiting service—in October a small but badly supplied army was collected & organized and again took the feald under Gen. Green, who again Marched us into S. Carolina where after our Victory at the Cowpens we where again obliged to retreat before Gen. Lord Cornwallis to Gilford Court House in N. Carolina

where a sort of drawed action was fought, We however on the next day buryed their dead by plattoons in the yard of a Quaker Meeting House and left their wounded with our own in the care of the Surgens & Friends, took our final leave of his lordship one taking the rout to Yorke Town in Virginia, and we the route towards Charlestown in S. Carolina and fought the second action at Camden, the hard and well fought action at the Eutaw Springs, the fortified Court House & town of Ninety Six, fourt Augusta and several forts or fortifyed places we at length Coped the Enemy up in the City of Charlestown, in the mean time Gen. Washington met Gen. lord Cornwallis at Yorke town in Virginia and captured him, and soon after Gen. Washington sent Gen. Wain with a Brigade of the Pennsylvania line to the assistance of Gen. Green who arrived at Gen. Green's head quarters near Charlestown in February 1782 and with them Captains McKennon & Queenault with all the men they had recruited or collected for the Del. Regiment, who had assisted at the Capture of Cornwallis.

About this time the prolimnory articals of peace were signed and hostilities had seaced except a little scarmishing to prevent the Enemy from getting potatoes & rice which they much wanted as well ourselves.

Gen. Green well knowing the privations, fatigue and hardships that Capt. Kirkwood & myself had passed through during our Southern Campayns polightly offered to Send Us home on Command, with orders to the Comesery & Quartermasters Department to furnish us with provisions & forage at every Depot on the road. Capt. Kirkwood left Headquarters two days before me with a view of taking his rout as much as possible by water, and I began my march on the 20 Day february with 4 officers nine involied Soldiers, one woman, two waggons and nine Horses but unfortunately your memmorlist found nether provisions or forage in any of the public stores—it is known that the army had not received one cent of pay during all our Southern Campaings, that Continental money had depreciated 100 for one—and we had a march of more than 500 miles to perform without our pay, rations, forage or one Dollar of the public money, and we could not obtain one single artical of Provision or forage on the whole route without the hard cash layed down, thus situated I did Pay from my own private resources $168.45 as per account rendered of which I have never received one cent. at that time the United States was indebted to me Upwards of 3000 Dols. Exclusive of the sd. amount for pay, commutation of half pay, Depreciation of pay &c., which was afterwards Payed by giving a certificate which our wants obliged us to sell at a discount of 66 pr. sent—but as it is known that your memorlist had received no pay for the last two years and his patrimonial Estate at first was but very small & that small sum much reduced in the Revolutionary War, it may be asked where he got $168.45 cents he answers that a Noble Harted Lady, a friend of the revolution, of respectable family and fortune furnished him all that money in English Gunies, at a time when he had scarsely a Shirt on his back, or means of getting one, or a shoe on his feet, without asking the scratch of a pen for its return, that Lady has long since decended to the tumb, but your memmorlist still holds himself in Honor bound to make retrubution to her heirs—Your Memorlist therefore respectfuly asks your Honorable boddy to give him the above sum with interest from the 20 of February 1782, and altho he is to old to fight, he will Pray.

Capt. McKennan & Queenault, Lieut C. P. Bennett & Hyatt with all the men &c. all these have decended to the tumb Except Lieut C. P. Bennett, who can

certify to the truth of the above statement—I believe there is not an officer now liveing who served in the Delaware Regiment through the Campaign of 1776, altho there had been more than 80 officers Commissioned and 3500 men inlisted in that regiment Except Yours

P. Jaquett

Dela. Historical Society.

## WERE THERE TWO CAPTAIN PETER JAQUETTS?

(The following is given to establish the fact)

## PETER JAQUETT JUN'S OATH OF FIDELITY

Samuel Moore. lately of Age JNO McKINLY

Jos. Enos Junr. PETER JAQUETT JUNR. lately of Age

Wm. Scott.

I do certify that the above named John McKinly Esqr., Peter Jaquett Saml. Moore, Joseph Enos. & William Scott did appear before me on of the Jutices for the County of New Castle and there vouchers took

On back of paper "List of Persons who have taken the Oath of Fidelity before Robert Rryan.

Nov. 1780.

## PETER JAQUETT JUN. ENSIGN

This is to Certify that Andrew Peterson served as a Private Soldier in Capt. Wm. McClements Company Col. Henry Neills Regt. Delaware Militia, the time appointed by as Act of the Genl. Assembly of said State in the year of our Lord 1780—

To whom it may concern—PETER JAQUET Junr. Ensn.
of said Compy.

This is to Certify to whom it may Concern that John Rodgers Served as a Private Soldier in Wm. McClements Compy. Del. Regt. of Militia Commanded by Col. Neil the time appointed by an act of the Legislature of the sd. State, & that the pay & the thereunto belonging is due unto the said Rodger. As Witness me

this 27th April 1781— PETER JAQUET Junr.
Ens. of sd. Regt. & Comy.

This may Certify that the bearer hereof Joseph Murphy served in William McClements Company of Delaware Levies Comanded by Col. Henry Neill—the time appointed by an Act of the Genl. Assembly of said State—

PETER JAQUET Junr. Ensign
Octr. 31st. 1792 in said Company

To whom it may concern—

New Castle County Ss. Joseph Murphy, appeared before me the Subscriber on of the justices of the Peace for New Castle County, and made oath that he Served agreeably to the time mentioned in the above Certificate, and that, on being discharged the Service, he did not bring away his arms or any of his military Accoutrements with him.

Octr. 31st—1792. JOSEPH MURPHY

Before Jno. Lea.

## EXTRACT FROM STATE AUDITORS ACCT. BOOK

(Report to Legislature)

I have judged it proper to charge and credit the United States with the balance of the officers accounts, because many of their balances will never be recovered, and the loss ought not to be borne by this State. Any money that may be recovered can be passed to the credit of the United States.

No. 12. George Latimer Esqr. a balance appears to be due from him; but the truth is he has not received all the monies charged to him by the State. He rendered an account which was lodged with the Board of Commissioners for allowance. He is in advance for the State—

No. 13. CAPT. PETER JAQUETT—the £ 2: 9: 10, if due at all, is due to the SENIOR OF THAT NAME.

No. 14. Jonathan Robinson—The state owes his estate money, the payments were partly on account of Interest from 1776—

No. 15. John Reed—due to him 1;

May 16th 1802

This day the Governor appointed and Commissioned Peter Jaquet Junior, the first Lieutenant of the first Troop of Light Horse in the First Brigade of Delaware

Governor's Reg.

## AFFIDAVIT OF PETER L. JAQUETT

My dear neice Katie:—

I'll try to comply with your request. I had better at first say I am your Father's brother and am now in my ninetieth year, to the best of my knowledge and belief. In voting (on age) a young man in coming to vote in Pennsylvania takes that kind of oath or affirmation, so I word this in like manner.

My grandmother, Mary Black, lived through the Revolution and knew my grandfather Jaquette who lived at Christiana Ferry across from Wilmington, Delaware. I, myself, knew old people who knew him and it seemed a thing of general knowledge that he was a captain in the Revolutionary War. My father told me that his father raised and equipped a company of troop of Horse as they were called then (not called cavalry at that time). My mother read the family history that was in the house after she became an inmate and always was in agreement with the current reports of his service as a Captain. I saw in my early day notices of Pension that might be applied for. My father said his father rejected all such in

his time and said if they would pay the cost of equipment he wanted no pension. I knew an old darkey or two that knew my grandfather—one of them was his slave, the other knew him well, and said he dressed as a soldier and rode a grey horse and that he saw him yet in his dreams.

The farmer, Peter Jacquette, at the Ferry was evidently my grandfather, There was not any other place for a ferry or for a road to New Castle. The road from Market Street comes into our old New Castle road very close. About the ferry and the bridge I will now tell. The ferry, was where they crossed Christiana Creek and was the only crossing at Wilmington to go to New Castle and the only hard or solid ground for a road on the creek front of Wilmington on the New Castle side. The first bridge was built at the foot of Market Street and required a causeway (as I know myself) I think or remember about a mile long, (across the Marsh). My father told me there was quite a strife to get it away from the first New Castle Road. (Afterwards another bridge was put over at third street the old ferry or old New Castle Road. I have been over it but it was put there since I left Wilmington for a new home). Our ferry house, a two story brick was taken down, it being in the way of improvements of the town now known as South Wilmington and our nice old home is gone, and the grave yard too, where so many of the early settlers and patriots were at rest, was dug up and the whole place I suppose is covered with houses.

That was the home of our family (well of our part of it since about 1650).

The home of the other Major Peter Jaquette, formerly Captain, is at the New Castle end of the causeway from the foot of Market Street. The two Captain Peter Jaquettes lived adjoining places and there is a little confusion in consequence of names and localities being similar. I do know that the foot note in Mr. Sellers first book was the first word or thought of major and captain being the same person that I ever heard. After reading his book I said to him I thought there was no need for the foot note at all (that is Miss Margaret Maitland that he copied from (as he told me he did) left it so there might be two inferences he might have left it that way. He said the foot note only suggested but made nothing positive and I believe there is nothing of it in the later book. The Sharf History makes all clear to all.)

Major Peter never lived at the ferry or any other ferry. There was no other place for a ferry where hard ground came to the creek to put a road on but through our home place and no other road to New Castle from Wilmington but across the marsh near where it comes to the old ferry road (I mean from Market Street bridge).

About my mother's side, it is of a much shorter matter. The grandfather, James Black, died before my mother was born. Her older sister was born in Ireland. She was about two years older than my grandmother. I knew them both and two younger sisters, all Robinsons, all of Wilmington, Delaware, and I knew their brother, my mother's uncle, John Robinson, who had a large chair factory in Baltimore, all lived to about my present age and were great patriots and had strong or apparent hatred of the English. Our Irish was of the Ulster variety, both Robinson and Black. James Black was Captain of a seagoing merchant ship, traded to China and other far off countries. Died and was buried at sea in 1805 or 1804. I have seen many of the china and sea relicks.

My sister, Mary Black Jaquett, was born at the Ferry and all Jaquetts in our line previous to her birth. I never hear it called the Locust Grove Road, but there probably were Locust trees on the road or at one of the ends, but none at our end that I knew of or ever heard of.

As to statements of your father they all agree with my knowledge of matters of interest to you now in regard to my grandfathers military life and reputation and to the best of my knowledge and belief they are true.

Your Uncle,
PETER L. JAQUETT.

STATE OF MONTANA ss:
COUNTY OF FLATHEAD

PETER L. JAQUETT, being first duly sworn deposes and says: that the foregoing letter was written at his dictation copied from original manuscript made by him and by him signed, and that the statements and all thereof therein made are true according to his best knowledge and belief.

Subscribed & Sworn to before me this
23rd day of January, 1917. C. H. FOOT. PETER L. JAQUETT

Not. Pub. KALISPELL, MONTANA

Philadelphia, Pa.,
December 5, 1918.

Mr. Walter G. Tatnall,
Archivist of the State of Delaware,
Dear Mr. Tatnall:

The Peter Jaquett who took the Oath of Fidelity in November, 1780, was, I think, Peter Jaquett, Jr., who was born at Christiana Ferry October 12, 1760, and died November 4, 1816. He was son of Thomas Jaquett and Dorcas Grantham. April, 1, 1817, Archibald Alexander was chosen guardian of Isaac G Jaquett, orphan child of Peter Jaquett, Jr., late of New Castle County, deceased, (Orphans' Court Liber K, P. 278), which reference shows that Peter Jaquett was known as Peter Jaquette, Jr., although he was the son of Thomas Jaquett. He is distinguishable from Major Peter Jaquett of the Delaware regiment who was born April 6, 1755, and died September 13, 1834. He was son of Peter Jaquett of Long Hook, New Castle County, who was born 1718 and died October 22, 1772, consequently Major Peter Jaquett was only seventeen years old at his father's death and he was never known as Peter Jaquett, Jr. Peter Jaquett, Jr. was merely in his twenty-first year when he took the Oath of Fidelity and it may have been due to a mistake that he was described as lately of age or there may have been a misrepresentation of his age in his desire to take the Oath. I have considered very carefully the possibility of any other Peter Jaquett but the Peter Jaquett, Jr., referred to appears to be the only one to whom the Oath could refer.

Peter Jaquett, Jr., was an ensign in the Second Delaware regiment as appears by the Roster of Officers commissioned by Gov. Rodney to serve in the army of the United States until the first day of November, 1780, with the dates of their commissions and the date applied to Peter Jaquett was August 4, 1780, and you have shown me other documents in which his signature as Peter Jaquett, Jr., Ensn. appears and in all instances is written in a similar manner showing identity.

The half page of account of Isaac Bryan in account with the estate of Peter Jaquett, Jr., deceased, which appears to be brought to March, 1816, undoubtedly

refers to Peter Jaquett, Jr. previously mentioned. Peter Jaquett, Jr., was also commissioned May 16, 1802, first lieutenant of the first troop of light horse in the Brigade of Delaware. In the list of open accounts appears "13 Capt. Peter Jaquett —the £ 12:9:10, if due at all, is due to the senior of that name". It is claimed by the descendants of Peter Jaquett, Jr., that he was a captain during the Revolutionary period and alleged to have been in a troop of horse. It is possible that Peter Jaquett, Jr., was elected a captain of militia during the Revolutionary War and that he was known by such title although he may not have received a commission from the Governor or, if such commission was issued, the record of it may not have been preserved. I think that there is evidence of Peter Jaquett, Jr., who took the Oath of Fidelity having been commissioned an ensign. The records suggest two Capt. Pater Jaquetts by the allusion to "the senior of that name" and the fact of the tradition of his descendents that he was a captain justifies the inference that he had been a captain of militia during the Revolutionary period. His commission in 1802 as first lieutenant, of course, does not throw any light upon whether he was a captain during the Revolutionary period but it accounts for the erroneous impression in his descendents that he was a captain of a troop of horse during the revolutionary period.

I appreciate your desire to obtain information to enable you to establish as a fact that there were two captains Peter Jaquett during the Revolutionary period and regret that I am unable to aid you to obtain conclusive evidence of such fact. I think, however, that the evidence justifies the inference that there were two captains of the name of Peter Jaquett during the Revolutionary period, one in the regular line and the other in the militia.

Believe me, Yours very truly,

EDWIN JAQUETT SELLERS

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## REVOLUTIONARY WAR LETTERS

### JOHN ADAMS TO CAESAR A. RODNEY.

Quincey 30th April 1823

Dear Sir:

I am honoured by your favour of the 20th April with a Copy of Gov McKeans letter of 22 August 1813 inclosed. I have no doubt that Mr. McKean sent an express to Delaware to summon Mr. Rodney to Congress—that he arrived at the critical moment with boots and spurs—went into Congress and made a speech which Mr. McKean rehearses and voted for independence, thereby deciding the vote of the State of Delaware against his colleague Mr. Reed. I am incapable of searching for Books or dates and my momory may not be depended upon, but according to my recollection the question of the Declaration of Independence was decided in a committee of the whole house on the 2d of July. They made their report but that report was not decided on in Congress—Congress chose to meditate on the subject another night and made the subject the order for the next day—Accordingly on the 3d July the report of the day before, of the Committee of the whole was taken into consideration and the immortal resolution was passed and the Declaration of Independence ought then to have been signed, but Congress choose to sleep another night and ordered the signature for the next day. Accordingly on the

next day the 4th of July 1776 the declaration of Independence was than signed by all the members then present, Mr. McKean was not then present for he had so many avocations in Delaware, and as Attorney General in Pennsylvania that he could not constantly attend in Congress—I have no doubt that he voted for independence in the Committee of the whole on the 2nd, and for the resolution in Congress on the 3d—but he was not present and did not sign on the 4th. All the confusion has arisen from a resolution which I hope I shall be pardoned for my irrevenence, if I say it was absurd for I thought it so then, and think it so still, that all future members should sign the original parchment—but such a resolution was passed and obeyed—in consequence of which a number of names appear on the declaration of independence of the 4th—who were certainly not there and did not sign, among whom Mr. McKean was one—

I am sir with great regard, your very humble servant

JOHN ADAMS

C. A. Rodney.

## BOARD OF WAR TO BRIG. GEN. RODNEY

War Office Augt. 1st 1777

Dear Sir

I am directed by the Board of War to express the Approbation they think you entitled to for your Activity & Zeal for the Service & to request you will continue your Exertions by calling forth as many of the Militia as you can BY ANY MEANS arm. The continental Stock here will afford but a small Supply but the Board apprehend Measures may be fall'n upon to discover Arms throughout the Country. There must be Arms among the people as so many have been issued out of the Continental Stores & they cannot be annihilated. Your State has no doubt its proportion. You delivered up a Number last Fall, so did other States among whom arms are daily discovered. There are Such Numbers turning out to oppose the Enemy, that tho' we have many arms, yet they will not be sufficient. & we must give every one their Proportion. I have written to the President, thro' whom any Orders relative to your Brigade should regularly come, but the Board thought it best to request your Endeavours at getting Arms for Men as well as Men for Arms. We expect a speedy Supply of a Number already on Terra firma. Let us but exert ourselves at this time of Trial & we shall gain the objects of our Wishes—Peace & Freedom to America

I am with the greatest Regard Your very obed Servt.

RICHARD PETERS, Secy.

We have Ammunition & Camp Utensils in Plenty.

Tents are very scarce.

Brig. Genl. Rodney

War Office March 7th 1780.

Sir

We are alarmed at the accounts we have just received from the Com. Genl. of issues of the State of the Magazines of Provisions at Camp—Unless the spediest relief is afforded it is by no means improbable that the army will be compelled by famine to disband; the vicinity of the Camp & indeed the whole State of New Jersey being exhausted by its exertions for the supply of the Troops this winter—We have therefore most earnestly to request the assistance of your Excellency

& the Honl. Council upon this distressing Exigency & to beg that you will cause as much Flour as possible to be forwarded from your State that the distress likely to fall on the Army & the dangerous Consequences which may probably attend it may be prevented.

We have the Honour to be with
the greatest respect & esteem
Your Obedt. Servants
RICHARD PETERS
by orders

## JOHN CLOWES TO CAESAR RODNEY

Sir

Captain Smith has with his men Thomas Wells and John Wainwright who have Entered in the Delaware Battalion for three years or during the War, and Lowder Calaway, for only Two years, Mr Smith has their Inlistments.

I have given them no part of their Bounty Money nor Administered the oath to them—

Your Excellency will be able to Judge on hearing their particular Circumstances from Captain Smith, what part of the Bounty to pay them,
August 23d, 1780.

I am with Respect
Your Excellencys
Humble Ser't.
JOHN CLOWES

Caesar Rodney Esqr.

## THOMAS COLLINS TO GENERAL CAESAR RODNEY.

Dear Sr.

By an Express from Collo Rhoad Dated June ye 12th Instant 12 O'clock at Night, in Consequence of which Our Battalion Assembled by Orders I had issued to the Several Capts.—Capt Popes Company, & light Infintry, marchd from Dover about Eleven O'clock Wensday Morning, about 3 O'clock the Light horse followed. about 5 O'clock, Capt. Skillington Capt Gordon prcoeeded on the march, which Companies I march'd with and left orders with the Major to Dispatch the Other Companys as soon as they could be Acquipt, thursday Morning the two Companies I was with were joined about brake of Day by Capt. Blacks & Capt. Stout, we proceeded on our march and about two Miles before we came to the Mispillion Church, on the Rhoad to Lewis, we met a Company and said they were Discharged by Col. Rhoad, and before we reach the Church we met three other Companies all giving us information of the Difference mad up in Sussex, we proceeded to the Church afsd and there we met Coll—Rhodes with the residue of his Battalion from three Runs, and from the information of Mr. Rhodes who sd he was assured it was settled, we concluded to return, (but must let you know the Residue of our Battalion Marched from Dover thursday Morning Early) and this Instant Recd a a Copy of a Letter from Col. Dagsworthy to Coll Rhodes which I inclosed you, and as the Assembly is now seting you will mention it to them and if they think proper will take order, you are in possession of the proceedings of the Council of Safety of Sussex on the former Occation as I am inform'd by Mr. Sykes—I shall

send Express Immediately to ye Council of Safety of Sussex and in the meantime to warn Our Battalion to be in rediness to march at a Minute Warning.

I am your Hmbl Servt,

To Brigadier General
Caesar Rodney

THOS. COLLINS,

June 14th.

## THOS. COLLINS TO GENERAL RODNEY.

July 1777

Sir

The inclosed is a return of the first Battalion of Militia of this County also a roll of the Officers of sd Battalion with the dates of their Commissions & appointments. I have not been able to obtain a return from Capt. Bellach & Capt. Smith as to their arms & accoutrements as you see by the return—with respect to the Guard you Ordered to be fixed at Cross Roads, I immediately issued an order to Capt. Rees for that purpose, but he let me know after all his best endeavours he is not able to procure a man. I went through the Company myself and acquainted them of your order. They answered some of them. there was a lot of that Company refused doing any duty in the Company, and therefore say they, we will do no more until they take their turns of duty, and they further say that ye wages will not be half sufficient I offered them 5/ per day finding themselves, some of them say they will not undertake that business under 20/ per day, it really Seems to me that the devil or something else is got into the people for many of them is endeavoring who can make the most confusion. And the officers have no more authority over their companies than the privates have over their officers, what will be the consiquence I will not pretend to say, but I think at present that the Militia will not be worth a groat in a little time—

However I should be glad you would let me know the highest price that may be given for the Guard at Cross Roads, as well the officers as the privates. They all seem to be on the same key. Money is their principal object.

I am Sr. with respect yrs. Hum. Servt.

THOS. COLLINS

General Rodney.

## THOS. COLLINS TO GENERAL RODNEY

Dear Sr: I received you favour by Mr. Rees, with respect to the Arms belonging to Mr. McGarmant I was yesterday about setting out to purchase them, but receiving certain Inteligence that McGarmant is not at home, he is some where upwards with his Drove of Cattel, therefore thought it Needless my Going unless I could purchase the Arms, however I have wrote to Mr. Banning, to inquire the certainty of the Arms being there how many there are and what kind they are of, and likewise to send all the publick Arms at Dover to Cross Roads in Order that they may be Repaired by the two Deserters you sent here yesterday, they are giting in Order at Rees Shop to do this kind of business, and seem very thankful they can be of use in this way and Promise to be very assiduous in their business,

I shall take care to collect all the publick and private Arms and send to them for immediate reparation, which shall be sent to you as soon as done—Cambell the other Deserter I have with me—I also Received yesterday from two Negroes, longing to Moses Coughran a small cart, to horses, and some other Articles taken by them—I was . . . . . to set out this day to your Quarters before I received . . . . . ter, but shall Decline Coming until I have the Necessary business of Repairing the Arms done or in a fair way of being done, more Especially as our Battalion with you is week and seems to be well officered with field officers as Col. Battell & Major Raymond is there, however when you think my presenee is necessary with you youl please to Order it—as I am ready on the shortest Notice to tive my Attendance I cincerely wish you Success in your Progress and remain

Your very Humbl .Servt.

THOS. COLLINS

To General Rodney Sept. 4th 1777.

## JOHN COLLINS TO CAESAR RODNEY

Sussex County August 22d, 1780

Sir /

As I Have been present at the Examination of many of the Insurjints of this county, and some witnesses against them Before the Justices of peace—I shall now mention to your Excellency what appears Thereby—It appears that in June last, a Number of the insurjints associated to oppose the civil Law, and stand by each other—about the 15th of July about forty began to Train under one Batholomew Banum— the of august There was embodied about 100 men they then began to rob the inhabitants of their arms and accutrements—with intent to Take what they caled the heads of the whigs, (the militia officers) and Carry them to the refugees on the 6th 7th 8th and 9th—upwards of four hundred embodied at Different places, in the neighborhood—tho there was but about 280 ranke file at there main Camp—Some of these ignorant people were for opposing all law, others for establishing what they called the King's Laws—and others for opposing the payment of Taxes—but generally seem to have believed that all to the Southward of Cheseapeack Bay had laid down their arms and submitted to the Kings Laws—and that They should very easey make Sussex County dow the same—Some of their Leaders have Submitted with Many others—much the grate number of which have given up their armes and given Bail—Some of those that are out sent to me requesting me to meet them—in the woods and draw a petition to your Excellency to pardon them—but on finding they did not intend to submitt, Till they ware pardoned—I Lett them know you would receive no petition from them until they sumitted themselves—those that joined them From Maryland are sent to Worcester goal—few of the armes took are brought in—

The taxes of all kinds are now paying in very fast in this County—and I believe will soon be fully Collected—the Barrer Capt. Smith being Just seting off—I have not Time to coppy and abridge this therefore am obliged to Trouble your Excellency with this rough draught—

I am your most obdt. Humb. Sarvt.

JOHN COLLINS

Original owned by Mr. Willard B. Morse, Seaford, Del.

## COMMISSARY LETTERS.

Sir

The Army's distress for bread is very great and on you and Mr. Ewing I must depend for their support, have therefore in the most Pressing terms to request you to use every possible means to procure flour also equal Dispatch in forwarding the same—should you not be able to procure sufficient Trams from the Quarter Master in your district, make application to Colo. Hollingsworth at the head of Elk who has many at his command, pray loose no time in this necessary business else the army will undoubtedly disband for want of bread which will be the most maloncholy Circumstance which has happened since the commencement of the present War, let me here from you by every opportunity also inform me what your present Success and prospects are respecting flour and the quantity you can forward weekly to this City—Am with much regard Sir,

Your most Hble. Servt.

To Major Carty EPH. BLAINE C. G. of P.

Philadelphia, January 25th 1780

Sir

Sundry parcels of Flour has come up from your district in very bad order, and neither Invoic'd, nailed or any other thing done to the Casks have therefore to request you to give directions to the Millers to have their Flour properly Invoiced, nailed and lining Hoops upon the end of each Cask, the weight of the Flour mark'd with red lead or blacking upon the head of the Barrels, and branded with the Initials of your name———

For Gods Sake forward all the Flour you can, and suffer none of the Waggons you load to take less than eight or ten barrles each—Upon your exertions depends the Supplies of our Army, and shall depend on your utmost endeavors to answer my expectations—Inclos'd you have an Order upon the Treasurer of your State for One hundred & seventy five thousand Dollars—This money must be laid out for your future purchases, as it is paid me on account of the new System of the Commissariate—Your other Accounts must be prepared for a final Settlement, and when adjusted Congress assures me they will furnish Money to discharge the ballances due to each of my Assistance—

Write me by every Opportunity and inform me of your success and am with great regard

Sir

Your most Obedt.

humbl. Servt.

EPHT. BLAINE C. G of P.

Major Isaac Carty

Philada. 20th May 1780—

Sir

Your favour of the 12th instant came to hand by Mr. Bell since which Col. Blaine has returned from Head Quarters where he left the Troops in the greatest distress immaginable for want of salt Provisions, and at this time there is not an

Ounce of Meat fresh or salt at Camp or in this City—Col. Blaine begs that you would exert yourself at this alarming period in forwarding on Salt Provisions, if you can furnish the Army with three Days supply of that necessary Article, it will be a very essential piece of service, you may be assured of a proportion of the first money that comes into this Office, which hope will be in a very few Days—

You will procure the necessary Waggons and Shallops for transporting your wheat to Mr. Tatnall's Mill at Brandywine in Order to have it manufactur'd—as there is some Arm'd Vessels gone down the Bay, there will be no danger of it falling into the hands of the Enemy—

I am
Sir
Your most Obt. Servt.
GEO. MORTON.

Inclosed you have a letter
from Col. Blaine, he goes to
Camp again on Monday.—

Major Isaac Carty
Assist Commissary of Purchases

Morristown 12th May 1780

Sir

We are in the greatest want of salt provisions and without great Exertion the Army will undoubtedly suffer, upon rect of this request you to forward to Trenton every bll you possibly can, and if in your Power beg you to purchase all the pork you can, and give me Information and I shall contrive ways and means to Pay the same am in Hast Sir

Your Obedt. Hble Servt.
EPH BLAINE C. G. of P.

Major Carty

Philada. 20th May 1780

Sir

The army is in the most dreadful Situation for want of Meat, and without an Immediate supply must disband, have therefore in most Pressing terms to request you to forward every barrel of salt Provisions which you have purchased or Contracted for, and Assure the persons to whom you are indebted that I shall enable you to pay them the first Money I receive and will make proper allowances to those who have suffered; but insist on your Immediate procuring and forward all bought or contracted for. if you cou'd make any purchases of Salt beef or pork try to secure all you Possibly can and inform me by first Opportunity the Quantity and Price, I will see paid any Shallop Men or Waggoners you may Employ to forward the supplies to our army, write me by first Opportunity and believe me Sir

Your most Hub Servt.
EPHR. BLAINE C. G. of P.

N. B. pray enquire if
any Cattle can be
purchased in your State

Major Carty

Kings Ferry Augt. the 3rd. 1780

Sir

The Committee of Congress at Head Quarters having Called upon the States to furnish Supplies for our Army, during the Campaign, which is increasing fast, and makes the daily consumption of provisions very considerable and will require every possible exertion of the States to keep them supplied—Your State is requested to furnish five hundred barrels of Flour, Seventy one thousand, six hundred and seventy five pounds, of Beef per month, and five thousand pounds of Bacon for the Summer. There is fourteen Brigades assembled in this neighbourhood, and recruits hourly coming in, which with the followers of the Army, now consume, one hundred Barrels of Flour and Sixety five Beef Cattle daily—The requisitions made by the Committee of Congress upon the respective States for provisions, were calculated to supply our Army, which is very shortly Expected in the Field and without a speedy compliance they cannot long subsist—Have in the most pressing terms to beg your Excellency and Council to urge your State Commissioners to use every possible means to facilitate their respective purchases, and request your Excellency not to confine them to the Quantity required, whatever their purchases may exceed your Quota. I shall take care to have it settled in my continental accounts and see you paid first Costs & Charges—Your Flour and Bacon must be delivered the keeper of the magazine at Philadelphia or Trenton, and your Beef Cattle to Capt John Little of Philadelphia whom I have appointed to superintend that business and forward them by Droves to Headquarters.

I have the Honor to be very respectfully,
your Excellency's most Obedt. and very
Humbl. Servant

EPHRIAM BLAINE

GOVR. RODNEY

C. G. OF P.

Philada. 10 April 1781

Sir

Congress having receiv'd information of the Intention of the Enemys coming into Delaware Bay with a design of plundering Provisions and Forage, it therefore behooves you to use every possible exertion to forward to this place or Trenton all the Flour and Meat kind in your possession the property of the State—at the same time please to observe that no State Supplies become the property of the United States untill deliver'd into the Public Magazine—the bearer Mr. Morton will show you every assistance in forwarding the Provisions—

Information has been made Congress of ten or twelve thousand Barrels of Flour being in the neighbourhood of Wilmington I wish to God your Governor and Council would impower you to seize it for the United States—

Your Returns of State Supplies for the last and present year are much wanting, pray be very particular in making them monthly to my Office and give me every information respect'g Supplies—

I remain Dear Sir

Your most Obt. Servt.

Major Isaac Carty

EPH. BLAINE A. G. O.

Choptank River Oxford Landing
4th October 1781—

Sir

I am upon this Shore ordering the Supplies of Provisions Forward to our Army in Virginia—the French Army & Navy with our Continental Troops and Militia consume Sixty thousand Rations per day—we have no Magazine established and are only feeding them from day to day—and I fear it will be impossible to keep up a regular Supply without the utmost Exertion of this State and yours in forwarding to the most convenient Landings upon the Chesepeak the Supplies required by Congress—have therefore in the most pressing terms to request your Excellency to order the Exertions in your Agents and a punctual compliance in procuring those Supplies and delivering the same at the places of deposit to Donaldson Yeates Esquire State Quarter Master who will adopt proper measures to have them forwarded to the Army with the utmost dispatch—choptank Bridge and the other Landings which lead to Chesepeack Bay would be very convenient places to receive your Supplies.

Our Army have invested Lord Cornwallis and his Army in the Town of York and last Sunday, which was the day I left our Army they had taken possession of all his out Works and redoubts on Monday all our heavy Artillery would be brought from Burwells ferry on James River, and our Engineers was to have run a line Circumlocution at more than five hundred yards from the Enemy's Works which inclose the town from which Line, our Army will advance by regular Approaches until they Subdue his Lordship with an Army of Seven thousand men which I have not the least doubt will be accomplished in the course of twenty Days—Men who are day & night upon fatigue and exposed to the greatest Danger ought to be regularly Supplied with Provisions and every refreshment they are entitled to—for God sake give me every Assistance and let no excuse prevent the Commissioners from doing their duty

I have the Honour to be very respectfully

Your Excellencys
Obedt. Hble Servt.

GOVERNOR RODNEY

EPH. BLAINE C. G. of P.

Elk Septemb. 2d 1781

Gentln.

Permit me to address you on the State of supplies to be made by your State to the Magazine, for the support of the Army, at this present my time will not Permit, to enter into a detail of the Irregularity of the Supplies which has hitherto been made, thro inattention of the officers appointed by the State, or other Causes I do not presume to determine which, but be assur'd in every Stage of the business I have gone thro; owing to the Scantiness of Supplies, I have met the utmost difficulties, and the public business has been much retarded, when at the same time had the specific supplies, that was granted for public support by your Honble Body been afforded in any reasonable proportions to the Quantum granted, it would have been greatly sufft. to answer the Exigencies of Public business, for the prest. state & present necessity, to an immediate attention of your Honble. House to this circumstance I must refer to some of the Gentn Members of the House. and

particularly Colo. Duff, and the other Gentn for New Castle County, who must be acquainted with the distress'd Situation of the Post at Christiana, at this present, destitute of every Supply. and a Considerable movement. of the Army going on Southward a circumstance from real necessity productive of the most disagreeable occurences, the taking property indiscriminatly which never fails of giving much distress, and causing just murmurring with the inhabit's. and tends to invalidate the greatest security & happiness to the Individual. (the Civil Power of the State) to the wisdom of your Councils these several circumstances are submitted—

I am Gentn. with the utmost respect
Your very hum. Servant
DONL. YEATES D Q M

## DELAWARE REGIMENT

TO THE EDITORS OF THE WATCHMAN.

Long Hook, near Wilmington Del. Dept. 10th, 1825

Gentlemen—I observe in your paper of the 6th inst. a communication from my old friend and fellow soldier, Major C. P. Bennett: in which he gives you a statement of the Delaware Regiment as organized in April, 1777; omitting the organization of that regiment in Jannuary 1776, under an act of the Legislature of this State, passed in 1775., ordering the officers to be commissioned and the soldiers to be enlisted for one year ending on the 31st. of Decembeer, 1776. I herewith send you a list of the Officers names, their commissions all bearing date from the first to the ninth day of January, 1776. I then received an ensigns commission, dated January 4th. 1776, in which capacity I served until January, 1777—when, by another act of the Legislature, the regiment was reorganized, and I received a Lieutenant's commission. After assisting to recruit a company under the gallant Capt. R. Kirkwood, I marched with them, in February, to Princeton and Brunswick, in New Jersey; at which time the enemy were in possession of a part of that State and of New York. By another act of the Legislature, the regiment was again reorganized in April, 1777, and I received a Captain's commission, dated January 8th 1777. In that capacity I served uutil near the close of the war, when I received a Major's brevet, dated June 8th 1782. The Delaware Regiment in the campaign of '76, consisted of 42 officers, and 768 rank and file. Of these, four officers, including the gallant Commander were killed, and sixteen wounded. Of the rank and file, many were killed and wounded—but more died of the camp fever. It is believed that but one or two officers survive, who were commissioned in January, 1776—assisted to raise the regiment and continued with it to the end of the war, or seven years and ten months.

At the close of this campaign, the enemy were not only in possession of the city of New York and the greater part of that State, but they occupied all the eastern seaports—had overrun New Jersey to the banks of the Delaware, and threatened our existence as a nation. A thick cloud of darkness and gloom had covered the land, and despair was seen in almost every countenance. More than one half of the officers of the regiment refused to serve the next campaign. This was truly a "Time that tried men's souls." There were, however, from January to April 1777, about forty choice spirits found, who accepted commissions, when it was reorganized

and the men enlisted for three years, or during the war—and in April took the field, under the command of Col. D. Hall and the officers as stated in the Watchman of the 6th inst. It is believed that in the course of the war there were upwards of 90 officers commissioned, and 5,000 soldiers enlisted, in the Delaware Regiment:—it is likewise believed that there are but two or three officers and three soldiers of that regiment now living, and two soldiers on the pension list. The State of Rhode Island had but one regiment in the Revolutionary War, which it is believed consisted of about 600 men: yet in the year 1820, Rhode Island had upwards of eighty officers and men on the pension list—whilst the State of Delaware had but three officers and men. How the Rhode Islanders should have escaped the ravages of war and time, in the proportion of 80 to 3, I am at a loss to determine: and sometime ago I addressed a note (a copy of which, I kept) to the Secretary of War, for further information. This note was enclosed to my friend, the late C. A. Rodney, Esq. who, I believe thought that some of my observations were too personal, and never delivered it to the Secretary

Respectfully yours,
PETER JAQUETT.

Extract from Lieut. Col. Bedford's Orderly Book, and Muster Rolls of the Delaware Regiment—for March, 1776 Commanded by Col. John Haslet:

There were 42 Officers in the first Regiment of '76—and 16 only served the next campaign.

Wilmington Del.
Dec. 14th, 1865.

Copied and Presented to the Historical Society of Delaware by
Chas. F. Stroud,
Grandson of the Late
John Hedges

## JOHN DICKINSON TO GOVERNOR RODNEY.

Sir

I have the pleasure to inform you, that the news of our success in South Carolina, is so far confirmed, tho we have not yet received any Express, as to put the truth of it beyond all doubt—The Enemy attacked our Lines at Charlestown, and were bravely repulsed—They attacked a second time, & while the action was well maintained on both sides, a column of Lincoln's army appeared in the rear of the Enemy, & immediately falling upon them put them to a total Rout, with a very great loss of kill'd & taken on the spot—and then pursued them as they were scattered in small parties to make their escape, which perhaps is the reason, that we have not yet had any Express from him. It is said, the enemy's numbers were 4000 British, & 3000 Tories, the latter of which made little or no resistance In short, tho the particulars cannot be authentically ascertained, Congress is convinced, that the affair is another Bourgoignade—and every successive Blow of that kind, must be more severely felt than the preceeding, because it is striking upon a Place already sore & weakened.

Let us at this important Crisis intensely recollect our duty to Heaven & our Country—co-operate in our several stations with the Efforts of our Gallant Brethern

in the field, and after vanquishing scores in fair fights, not offer ourselves to be ruined in our internal & domestic affairs by the most contemptible vermin that ever crept upon the Earth.

I saw a Letter yesterday from the QuarterMaster General—He mentions the Enemys having gone up in Force to West Point on North River, an important Post of ours well situated, fortified, and garrisoned—after viewing it some time part of them returned down the River, & from circumstances it is believed, an Irruption into New Jersey is intended—My Brother came to town last night, from General Cadwaladers, & tells me he came up in consequence of an Express, to collect the Jersey Militia with all possible Expedition—It is supposed, but without any Evidence that can be depended on, that Genl. Clinton may take the field with 8 or 10,000 men—Such a force will not be able to accomplish any great matter.

If we baffle the attempt of our Invaders this campaign, & convince them, that our Finances are not in an utterly irrecoverable Disorder, I hope this year will crown our Labours with peace Liberty & Safety—I am sir, your very Hble Servt.

JOHN DICKINSON,

Philadelphia June 10th 1779.

I sent down by Jo, 19 copies or setts of the Journal & minutes of Congress for the Council & Assembly, but have never heard, whether they were reciv'd—I now send down 19 setts more—from the 17th of April to the 22d Ulto. Thomas Smith will deliver them—

GOVERNOR RODNEY

## JOHN DICKINSON TO GOVERNOR RODNEY.

Sir,

I have the pleasure to inform you, that the President of Congress, this moment call'd upon me, to inform me, that he has received advice, that the Count D'Estaing with a formidable Fleet has arrived at Georgia, with a very considerable Body of Troops on Board—one of the principal officers landed in South Carolina, held a Council of War there, in which the plan of operation was settled, and then returned to the Count—and, if no Blunder is committed, the Event will be what we wish it to be

The Enemy is fortifying New York incessantly—They have done a great Deal, but still are not contented, our Intelligence is well authenticated, that they meditated an Embarkation of Several thousand Men—The Counts arrival in all probability will put a stop to it, unless they slip out to the West Indies, while he is approaching which is not unlikely.

General Sullivan has beat the collected Force of the Enemy, of which too formal an account is published—tho the consequences are said by such as understand Indian Affairs, to be of Importance to the peace of our Frontiers—

Mr. Gerard has taken Leave of Congress, & is expected to sail every day in Frigate, Confederacy—We have dismist him with as honourable Testimonial, respecting his public & private Conduct as We could give

I have been for Some time exceedingly indisposed—I intend soon, if I get better, to make a Trip to Kent—& if the State has any particular Business requiring

immediate Dispatch, I should be glad to have advice of it as early as possible—I beg leave to recommend in the most earnest manner, the providing every kind of cloathing for our Battalion of brave & worthy officers & men, and also the having our Militia in the most respectable Readiness for action. I speak the sence of Congress on these subjects.

I am with great Regard Sir, Your very Hble. Servt.

Philadelphia
September 28th 1779

JOHN DICKINSON

Governor Rodney

## JOHN DICKINSON TO GENL. GREEN

Sir

On the 16th of last month received your Letter of the first of February; and heartily rejoice in the truly honourable Testimony you bear to the merit & services of the officers & soldiers of the Delaware Line. I hope & believe; the Time is approaching when their grateful Country will be enabled to pay a proper attention to such worthy citizens. We are exerting ourselves to send some Reinforcements, & it is expected that the first Detachment will march in a short time. Our Endeavours have been interrupted by the strongest, boldest & most perservering attempts yet made by our Enemies, to destroy our Trade. We have not yet learned here to turn distress into advantages & to draw all the consequences of success from crowds of Difficulties.

The driving the Enemy to shut themselves up in Charlestown & Savannah, is more than thought to have expected from the force to the southward. Your observations on that subject are very just, and it is certainly true, that the happy conclusion of Great Affairs depends as much on present Pauses as on Ardent Advances.

I am sorry for the complaint against Colonel Hall: for tho' my knowledge of him is but slight, he is spoken of to me by officers who have served with him, as a Man of great Gallantry & sweetness of Temper. If I should furnish any proofs tending either to acquit or condemn him, I should think it my Duty to do so—but I can supply none. I had directed him to repair to the Regiment fifteen days before the receipt of your Letter

I have not yet seen Captain Kirkwood; but am informed that he is lately returned.

I am with very great & the sincerest Esteem sir,

Your most obedt hble servt

JOHN DICKINSON

Genl Greene in
South Carolina

April 15th 1782.

## JOHN DICKINSON TO GEN. SMALLWOOD

Sir,

Your Letter of the 28th of February came to my Hands on the 30th of the last, and it is with great satisfaction I can inform you, that the Delaware State is making every Exertion in her Power, to reinforce the Southern Army, being inprest with the strongest sence of the importance of that Measure, & the most ardent Desire to promote it. Resolutions have been past allowing a Bounty of £ 2 cash for each man inlisting in the war & Captain James Moore, a very deserving officer & perfectly qualified for the business is appointed to superintend that Recruiting Service. He meets with success, which nothing, I am persuaded, will interrupt, but the want of Money. Most Defect is caused by the all most total stoppage of our trade by the Cruizers from New York. Vigorous Measures are now carried on by this State & Pennsylvania for its protection if these are successful I think we shall do as much as can be desired from us; but We have no such resources as those adopted by the State of Maryland, & expect in a short time to send forward forty or fifty men, some of whom are now under inoculation; & I wrote on the first of March to Capt. Wilson & Coxe, & Lieut. Horseman & Kidd, who with Coll. Hall & Capt. Moore, are the only Delaware Officers now in the State, except those who are considered as Prisoners of War, to hold themselves in Readiness, on the shortest where to join the Army under the command of General Greene, On the same day I directed Col. Hall to repair to his regiment.

I am much obliged to you for the offers you are so good as to make, and I give myself a particular Measure in assuring you, that the state Troops entertain Esteem for your person & character expects they will be pleased with every opportunity of expressing

I am with the most sincere Regard sir, Your very obedt. hble servt.

JOHN DICKINSON

General Smallwood
Annapolis

April 15th—1782

## HENRY FISHER TO COUNCIL OF SAFETY?

Lewis April 1, 1776

Gentlemen

On Monday evening last a Man of War and her Tender came within the pitch of our Cape and anchored as you have been informed by last express—the Pilot Boat stationed near Lewis Creek's mouth did not discover the Singal at the Lighthouse, nor see the Ship that evening as it was near dark before she came to the pitch of the Cape. And when the Alarm Guns were fixed the People on Board the Boat, altho' they heard them very plain, imagined as they said that we were cleaning the Guns, with a proof charge. Tuesday morning the Man of War's boat took the Pilot Boat, the wind being light and northerly and Ebb Tide—but before they boarded her the hands in the pilot boat left her and rowed on Shore at the Broadkill in their Skiff.—The same day the Man of War with their tenders and Boats took a Small Sloop then laying in the Road belonging to Eggharbour in ballast the people of whom left her first in their Boat, they also took two other small Sloops from Philadelphia One to Synnepuxon the other to North Carolina and on Wednesday sent them on Shore in their own small Boats. Stripped and

scuttled the afsd. three Sloops and set them adrift, by these People we learned that it was Captain Hammond of the Kings Ship the Roebuck of forty four Guns—

They made another Tender of the Pilot-boat sent her out took a New England Sloop Bound to Philadelphia for corn and that night laying to near the Cape the hand at helm falling a Sleep let the Pilot Boat run on the Beach when the third Lieutenant their Pilot and two sailors left her, went on the Cape and were taken on Thursday by our men. We stripped the Pilot boat of every thing of value and found Ten Musguets and five Pistols which had been hove over the side where the Boat lies—On Friday and Saturday they took nothing——On friday the Sloop Hornet appeared near Indian River and sent on Shore and got a Pilot, but we have not seen her since and the same evening the Brig Capt. Barry came down under Cape May And on Sunday Morning went out—The Ship and Tender put out to Sea also after the Brig but returned on Sunday evening into the Road——We have been Day & Night on Guard both on the Cape and at Lewes and Pilot Town——The several Companies of Militia from all parts of the County who live within twenty or five and twenty miles of Lewes came in as soon as they could be expected seemed all quite unanimous and hearty in the Cause determined to defend their country. there has been near 1000 men in at times the last week so that we were obliged to discharge many of them not having Occasion for half the Number—We prevailed on those who lived at a distance to leave some of the Best of their Arms (for Numbers of them want Firelocks) which are not to be purchased.

On Saturday last Capt. Popes' Company of the Delaware Battalion of regular Soldiers came down from Kent all well equipped——How long the Ship intends to stay here we cannot learn—If any thing material should happen, I shall endeavor to let you know it.

I am Gentlemen
Your very humble Servant

HENRY FISHER.

P. S. from what I can learn from the Prisoners that we have got you may dayly expect Several Large Ships therefore, I hope, that you may be upon your guard—as from what I can learn that they are to come up your River——The Lieutenant & other Prisoners will be sent up to you to morrow by land or else it shall Cause me a fall—— HENRY FISHER

Lewestown April ye 2—1776 four O'clock

To the Gentlemen that keep the Stage Horse you are Required to let the bearer Mr. Saml. Edwards have them as he is one of the Stationed Pilots therefore can Relate matters more Particular than I can write. H. F.

Cedar Creek April 2d 1776 6 O'clock Thomas Evans Dover Tuesday 10 minutes after nine o'clock arive Dispatch. at 10 o'clock April ye 2d

BATTELL

Cantwell's Bridge Tuesday fifty two minutes after one Dispached 10 minutes after Two MATT. DELANEY

Wilmington Tuesday 38 minutes after 7 o'clock Arived Express and Dispacht 50 minutes after 7 o'clock April the 2d 1776.

THOS. KEAN

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## HENRY FISHER LETTER

Lewestown April ye 5 1776

Gentlemen Last night at 10 o'clock I recd. your letter Dated April 3 pr. Express with a Letter from Capt. Faulker with a Signal for Capt. Barry—which I shall take great care shall be Answd—We have a Guard of 30 men at the Lighthouse to Protect the Signal—Capt Watken has been this morning sent on shore in a Small boat with four other men by whom I Learn that they have got a Pilot James Jones and from all that I can Collect as soon as there fleet Arrives they Design up your River—we have this morning sent of Lieutenant Ball to Dover—and I Desire that you would send Down for him and have him Secur'd as he is very Active on board and his being here so long has got more intiligence than I could wish.—the Ship now coming to sail and from all appearance is going out on a Cruise as she has Done several times— Pray send me some Powder for signals guns at the false Cape to Alarm your Vessells standing in, as we keep up a Guard there night and Day of 24 men some of whom are Pilots—I am with Due Respect

Your Humble Servant

HENRY FISHER

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## HENRY FISHER TO COUNCIL

Lewestown June ye 10 1776

Gentlemen.

When I wrote to you last by Express I mentioned that Capt. Laurence had Arived here and that he was a longside of a scow that was oblig'd to Run ashore. I have made bold to Detain him here to Cover the landing of her Cargo he has Been of Rail Service and now he is going to convoy her up to your place with the Assistance of the Eagle from this Place—the Liverpool Remains in the Road the King Fisher is gone out to sea. As to the Restriction you have laid upon me not to man the arm'd Boat with Pilots I must beg leave to Acquaint you that our Pilots Bare a Different Carricter to what yours Doe and as the Boat is to be Stationed at our Crecks mouth I cannot see there will be the least Danger in leting Six Pilots goe in her and the Remainder Lands men as the Pilots are Acquainted with the great gun and they always can see their Danger Before they can be Suppressed.—I think I can venter to say that the Pilots here has and are willing to do Every thing for the safety of your trade that lays in their power—I hope Gentlemen that you will Reconsider the matter and send me a line in the meantime I shall act with the utmost Caution and do Every thing for your Interest that lays in my Power.—Colonel Dagsworthy and Colonel Jones think that one of your Arm'd Boats would be of Service to be stationed in Indian River as that Inlet is at this time very good having 10 or 12 feet water into it—Perhaps some of your vessells may be chased in there in which case such a Boat lying there would be of best Service. You must think Gentlemen that we have no views in this matter but your Interest as we have no trade of our own, if you where to order Capt. Laurence to be stationed here as he is willing I think he would be of Rail Service.—I have given Capt. Laurence a Receipt for what Stores I have Recd. from him. You will be so

kind as to acquaint Messr. Mifflin & Barrell that there is some Charges that I have been at for victualing and maning these Boats. Extradinary upon there Acct. which I Expect that must be Paid out of the Cargo. Likewise Desire them to autherise some Person to act for them as there is a Rail Cause for it

Lewestown June ye 11

Gentlemen, I intended to have sent the former by my Express Horse but the Torys having cut of that Communication. I am oblig'd to send this by the Whale Boats as far as New Castle, and from thence by Land. I have further to add that last evening the King Fisher Returned into our Road with a Prize Brig, Capt. Walker of Wilmington, but Luckey for us before the Pirate Boarded her our Brave Capt. Barry had been on Board of her and taken out some Powder and Arms in sight of the King Fisher—this Day about noon came into our Road and anchored a Nother Frigate but who she is I can not Learn—Mr. Brown who came down in the flagg gave me the above accot of Capt. Walker's Brig, as we have three ships here now we have our troubles and must Request that you will be on your guard as it will not lay in my Power to give you the Particulars By the land Express But when the Ships move upwards I shall send of the Alarm By the arm'd Barge you may Depend.

Gentlemen you will be so kind as to inform the Congress of the Proceedings of the Torys at the head of our County as I think there will be ocation for some troops from upwards to Quiet them as they are Branching out in a surprising manner and beleave me that I shall doe every thing in my Power to give you the Earliest Acct. of the Proceedings of the pirates in the mean time. I Remain your

Humble Servant to Command

HENRY FISHER

Memorandum this Express Left Lewis at 12 o'clock on tuesday Night ye 11th of June 1776—

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## COUNCIL OF SAFETY TO HENRY FISHER

In Council of Safety,
Philadelphia, October 14th, 1776.

Sir,

By accounts this day received from Amboy, we are informed that the Enemy have embarked at Staten Island, and there is reason to believe they are coming round to this place.

The Council therefore direct that you keep a vigilant look out & do order you to send two fast sailing Boats in Company, to look out from the Eastward of our Capes as far as Egg Harbour in order to gain the earliest Intelligence of the approach of the Enemy. Upon their discovering any fleet bound towards our Capes, one of the Boats is to put into Egg Harbour & send an Express to us by Land, and the other Boat is to give intelligence to you. Upon your receiving any certain Intelligence in this way or by the appearance of the Enemy, You are Immediately to give the Allarm by the Guns & Signals as formerly directed by the

late Honorable Committee of Safety, and send off Expresses by Land as frequently as any new appearance of an Enemy occurs, or any new movements do appear of any consequence.

From your former assiduity and attention to your appointment, we have great confidence that you will exert every Power to give us the earliest Intelligence and by the most Expeditious and certain means, as the Safety of this City may much depend upon it.

By order of the Council.

DAVID RITTENHOUSE, V. President.

Sir,

This Lett'r Came to me in this manner, open'd as you see; the Express Rider, Mr. Chamber opened it, Mr. Chamber fills the place of Mr. Rean, Wilmington, am Sr. your Humble S't,

MAT'W DELANEY.

Tuesday morning, 3/4 After Nine.
Directed,
To Mr Henry Fisher, On Public Service.
at Lewis Town. Pr Express.
Indorsed,
From Mat'w Delany to Mr. French Battle, in Dover,—pr Boy.
From Battell to Mr. Thos. Eavens, Seeder Creek, to be Dispatched in Haist.

Pennsylvania Archives V:42.

## HENRY FISHER TO COUNCIL, 1776.

Lewis, Oct'r ye 16, 1776.

Gentlemen,

I Rec'd your letter per Express, last night at half-past Eleven o'clock, wherein you order me to send two Pilot boats to Cruise to the Eastward, I must acquaint you that there is no boats here that can be got, that is any ways fit for the Service, they being all bought up by your Merchants to send to sea. You likewise desire me to keep a strict look out, which you may depend upon that I shall, as my Character is at stake, though but trifling to your City. I must acquaint you that I have placed a very good and trusty hand at the light house, to give me the Earliest Notice of the Approach of any of the Pyrates, and you may Relie upon it that my Whale boat and Express horse is all Ready at a moments call. I should have answered your Letter by the Express horses, but I did not know the moment that I might want them, as the wind has been Eastwardly for this severaly Days. Having no more to add at this time.

I Remain your Humble Servant Command,

HENRY FISHER.

Directed,
To the Honorable Counsel of Safety, in Phila.

Pennsylvania Archives V: 47.

## HENRY FISHER TO COMMITTEE OF SAFETY

Lewes, October 25th, 1776.

Gentlemen,

On Monday last we held at this Town an Election for members of Assembly, and Legislative Council, to represent this County in The General Assembly of the Delaware State, which day exhibited such a scene of disaffection to the common cause of America, as I think have not been equal'd by any transaction on this Continent since the commencement of the present dispute with Great Britain. The few friends of America in this County, almost worn out with perpetual Contention, & convinced that further struggle were fruitless, determined for some time past not to concern in the Election, and but very few of them come to Town; the Tories, (for so I think I may justly call them,) flocked into the number of five and six hundred, pritty early in the day, at about 12 o'clock, one of them turn'd out by the other for a Bully, came to me when setting at my own door followed by a croud, and demanded an Ax to cut down the Liberty Pole standing in the street, and on my refusing he seized me by the Breast in order to drag me into the Street, but by struggling and the assistance of some friend I got clear of the mob and safe into my house, where I was obliged to keep close the remaining part of the day; the mob threatening to roast me alive if they could get me into the street. In a short time after they left me, they by some means procured an Ax and went in a Body to the Pole and cut it down, when it fell, the Streets resounded with Huzza for King George and General Howe, execrations against the Congress, Whigs, &c. They then took the Top of the Pole, on which part of the Independent flag had been us'd to be hoisted, and carried it in derision about the Town, followed by the Croud throwing up their Hats and Huzzaing for the King, and when tired with that kind of mockery, set it up at publick sale, struck if off it is said for thirteen pence, meaning I suppose Hangman's Wages. After this, one of their gang placed himself in the Court House door with a large Hickory club, which he held across the door, saying every person who came in there should declare himself for the King, thus forcibily Electing a number of their Junto to represent them in the General Assembly of this State, one of which has been disarmed by a Committee of the late Assembly of this Government, as an Enemy to the Liberties of America, and another of whom has been convicted of being unfriendly to the common cause before the Committee of Safety of this County.

The friends of America here, convinced from the conduct of that day that seting down inactive will not protect them from the rage and fury of this disaffected Banditti, have petitioned the Assembly of this State, for protection for their persons and property, what weight it may have is not yet known, but certain it is, if these disaffected wretches are permitted thus to go on, it will be dangerous for any friend to this County to travel the public Roads in this County a little time longer, and I am well satisfied that if there was only one thousand English Troops landed in any place within their reach, they would flock to them almost to a man. These circumstances must be very alarming to Pennsylvania, if properly considered, for was a Body of English to be landed here, this County, if not the whole Government must fall into their hands, and the few friends to the common cause residing here, become a sacrifice to their relentless fury, and they would be supply'd with provisions, &c., while they made War upon your State. That this event may never happen is the sincere wish of,

Gentlemen,

Your most Obedient and very Humbl Servt,

HENRY FISHER

N. B. When I received the inclos'd letter, it was broken open as you will see by the certificate of Mr Delany, and have sent to you that you may take such order to discover the perpetrators as you think fit.

Directed,

To the Honorable the Committee of Safety,
for the State of Pennsylvania.

To care of Col. McKean.

Indorsed,

From Henry Fisher, October 25th 1776.

Received at Newcastle, Oct. 30th, and forwarded by their most humble servant,

THO. M'KEAN.

## HENRY FISHER TO COUNCIL, 1776.

Gentlemen,

Having this opportunity by Capt'n Wiley, I think it my duty to inform you that on Tuesday last, there was two men of War off Indian River, which I apprehend are cruising to obstruct your Trade. They might have been into our Bay if they were inclined so to do. There were some persons went on board from Indian River who gave me this account. I shall refer you to Capt'n Wiley, who was present at my House when I got this information. I should have sent this by the Express Horses, but did not know when I might want them for something more material, but you may rest assured that I shall do everything in my Power, to give you the earliest inteligence when any of his Majesty's Pirates are making up our Bay, in the meantime I remain,

Gentlemen,
your humble Serv't,

Lewestown, Nov'r 7th, 1776.

Directed,

To the Honorable the Counsel of Safety, in Philadelphia.
Pr Capt. Wiley.

Pennsylvania Archives V: 61.

## HENRY FISHER TO COUNCIL, 1776.

Gentlemen, Lewistown, Novr. 19th, 1776.

Having this opertunity by Mr. Andrew Purviance, I must inform you that yesterday there was Seven Large Vessels seen from the Light house about five or six Leagues to the Southward of the Cape, which I apprehend are the same vessels that have been seen off here for this two weeks Past, this day they are not to be seen from the Light houses. Although the wind has been this 12 hours to the Southward, they are bound, I amagine, to the Northward, or they might have been in to Day, as they have had two Tides of flood since they Appear'd in sight. Mr. Purviance was at the Light house when the ships hove in sight; if they should make up our bay you may Depend that I have all things in Readdiness to Give you the Earliest Accounts you may Depend upon it.

I am in haste, Gentlemen, your most

Oblig'd Humble Servant,
HENRY FISHER.

Directed,

To the Honorable the Council of Safety, in Philadelphia.

Pennsylvania Archives V: 70.

## HENRY FISHER TO COUNCIL OF SAFETY, 1776.

Lewes, December 11th, 1776.

Gentlemen,

Last Evening came in and Anchor'd in our Road the Roebuck and a Sloop of War, and Remain here still; if they should move upwards I shall give the General Alarm by Water and Land; when the ships came in they had the wind to the Eastward, and might have fetch'd up the Bay if they were inclin'd so to Do. Haveing no more to add I Remain,

Your Most Humble Servant

to Command,

HENRY FISHER.

Directed,

To the Honarable the Counsel of Safety, in Philadelphia.

Pr Express.

This Express Left Lewis at 9 o'clock in the morning, on the 11th instant.

Came to Cedar Creek at 11 o'clock. H. Fisher.

Caim to Dover, halph after four o'clock. Thos. Evans.

Came to Cantwell's Bridge, half after Eleaven o'clock. Mat'w Delany.

Come to Wilmington fiftey minets past four o'Clock. Jas. Chandler.

Came to Chester to Wm. Kerlin, 12 De'br, half after 7 o'clock. Wm. Kerlin.

Pennsylvania Archives V: 99, 100.

## HENRY FISHER TO COUNCIL OF SAFETY 1776.

To the Honorable the Committy of Safety of the City of Philadelphia.

Gentlemen,

This day Davis Bevan & Benj. Canby, were both landed on our Beach by a Flag from the Rhoabuck Man of War, Capt. Hammon Comander, with whose Officers I had a conference ,who have related to me that there is now on board, Thirty-eight Prisoners, who they have brought here for Exchange, agreeable to sund'e Letter from our two Commanding opponents. These two above mentioned, are both on parole, one of which (Davis Bevan) I refer you for further Particulars, by whom you may be acquainted with the sufferings of many of our Brethern, who at this time labour under Distresses worthy of your immediate attention for their relief; Therefore I beg you may, as you will be acquainted by Mr. Bevan, represent the matter to Congress, that they may take the same into consideration for their Discharge. We are at this time on our guard, that no boats shall land without a Flag, the consequence of which you may depend of being acquainted w'h immediately; the two Capes and to the Southward are Lin'd w'h Men of War, and I am of oppinion will be till the weather will not allow them on our Coast. I am, Gentlemen, with offers of Service,

Your very hum'l Serv't,

HENRY FISHER.

December 11th, 1776.

N. B.—As the Council of Safety were now setting at Dover and I being at this time the only Commanding Officer here, refer all the above to you Notice.

H. F.

Directed.

To the Honble the Council of Safety of the City of Philadelphia.

Pennsylvania Archives, V: 100,101.

## HENRY FISHER TO COUNCIL OF SAFETY, 1776.

Lewes, Decemb'r ye 14, 1776.

Gentlemen,

The Roebuck is at this time cruseing off the light house and the small Ship is up the Bay at anchor Near the Brandywine, there has no more ships appeared as yet, you may Depend if there should, I shall give you the earliest acc'ts. I shall refer you to Mr. Davis Bevan for the Particulars Relateing the ship's Destination.

I am with Due Respect,

Yours to Command,

HENRY FISHER.

Directed,

To the Honorable the Counsel of Safety in Philadelphia.

Pr Favour Mr Bevan.

Pennsylvania Archives V: 108-9.

## HENRY FISHER TO COUNCIL OF SAFETY, 1777.

Lewistown, Jan. 1st, 1777.

Gentlemen,

This will be handed to you by Captn Daniel Murphy, who I gave the command of the armed Barge to, upon her first coming down here, and has behav'd very well in that Station, as it now appears to me that she is in some danger of being either taken from us or burnt, is the Reason of my sending her up to you, and as Mr. Murphy has only my word for his Wages, I must beg that you will amply satisfy him, as he has devoted himself to the Service, & been of real advantage to your Trade.

He brings up with him a number of Prisoners out of different Vessels taken by his Majesty's Pyrates who were put on Shore here last Night in great Distress. If you think proper to send the Barge back, please to give Captn Murphy a Commission with orders to man her properly, and any service that I can render, shall not be wanting on my side.

Capt. Hallock can inform you something of a very extraordinary Nature respecting our Torys here.

I am in haste, Gentlemen,

your huml Servt,

HENRY FISHER.

Directed,

To the Honorable Council of Safety, Philadelphia.

Pr Favor of Captn Murphy.

Pennsylvania Archives V: 152.

## HENRY FISHER TO COUNCIL OF SAFETY, 1777.

Philadelphia, March, 17, 1777.

Sir, I am commanded by the Supreme Executive Council of this State to lay before Congress the copy of a letter just received from Henry Fisher which is as follows:

(Copy from Original laid before Council 17 Mar: 1777, and sent to Congress.)

"Lewis Town, March, 14, 1777.

Gentlemen,

"On Tuesday the 11th after night there came into our Road two Ships and "a Sloop Tender, one of them has not been in our capes before, I take her to be a "forty or fifty gun ship, the other a frigate, the sloop appears to have ten guns; "on Wednesday morning there appeared a third ship, the Frigate made sail after "her, they have not been seen since, last evening the other ship went out and at "this time they are not be seen from the Light house."

"I should have sent off this express before, but did not know when they "they might be bound up the bay and then should not have had the horses. Our "Council of Safety will not admit of a guard when the ships are in the road, there-"fore I dont know when I may be surprised and taken on board, believe me gentle-"men I am in a very deplorable state, for when the Roebuck was last in the road "I happened to be the commanding officer and only ordered twelve men and an "officer to receive the Flag as they were often sending on shore when two of the "Council which were magistrates and another, came and advised that we should "lay down our arms and submit. By this you may see the temper of our people "here. These are matters of fact and such as I am able to prove; & if the honorable "Congress does not take some notice of us, the pilots will be all taken in their beds, "for you cannot think that ten or twelve men can stand guard and protect them-"selves, therefore must beg your assistance, or you will feel the effects of it if there "should come a fleet into our Bay. In the mean time I shall strive to do every "thing that lies in my power for the good of the cause."

I am Gentlemen your most humble Servant,
HENRY FISHER.

N. B. Please to call on Davis Bevan, and he can prove some of the matters I have alleged.

Directed,

To the Honorable the Council of Safety, Philadelphia.

Pennsylvania Archives V: 263.

## HENRY FISHER TO STATE NAVY BOARD

Lewistown April 12th 1777

Gentlemen

Yesterday morning the Ship Morris, Captain Anderson was chased into the mouth of our Bay by a Frigate, the Roebuck laying in the road made sail after her. Captain Anderson run his Ship on shore about half a mile from the Lighthouse, the two ships continually firing at him, and he return'd the fire for near three hours

in a most brave & gallant manner—The ships sent three Boats, which was beat off by the Morris. Captain Anderson landed his Packet for the Congress wh. I have forwarded up by two French Gentlemen—when finding he could defend her no longer, he laid a train, & blew the ship up, and I am sorry to tell you that so brave a Man has fell in the attempt, the mate and fourteen of the crew are safe on shore —The scene was horrible to behold. The Cargo is inpart blown on shore viz. Guns Cloaths, Gunlocks &&&c. We have a number of men saving the Cargo.

The Roebuck is now in the Road and two Frigates at Anchor upon the lower part of the Brown. There has been a second Flag from the Roebuck. The Officer says they expect their whole Squadron in shortly, and should they arrive I will give you the earliest advice in my power.—

I am Gentlemen
Your Humble Servant to Command

To the Honble. State Navy Board
Phila

HENRY FISHER

Arrived at 10 o'clock & dispatched in 10 minutes

John Enos at Cantwell's Bridge

The Express was tore

After writing the within, the two ships that lay at the Brown, are making sail up the Bay—the wind at N.N.E. Saturday Morn. 9 o'clock—therefore sent the alarm.—

HENRY FISHER

## HENRY FISHER TO STATE NAVY BOARD, 1777

Wednesday Morning, 10 o'clock, July ye 30th, 1777.

Gentlemen,

By this Express you will be certain that the Fleet is in sight, and at this time about 4 Leagues from the Light House, there is 228 (two hundred and twenty eight) sail, the wind is N. N. E., and they beat about S. E., from the Cape they to all appearance will not be in till this afternoon.

I am in Haste,
Gentlemen yours
at Command,

HENRY FISHER.

Directed,

To the Honourable the State Navy Board, Phila.

Indorsement.

Received at Chester Fifteen minutes before six o'clock, and forwarded at 6 o'clock.

T. MIFFLIN.

Pennsylvania Archives V: 415.

## HENRY FISHER TO STATE NAVY BOARD, 1777.

Lewistown Augt ye 8, 1777.

Gentlemen,

Having this opportunity by Capt. John Learmonth, I shall give you the Best intelligence from here Respecting the pirate ships,—there is one frigate and tender lying at the Brown, one Frigate and tender in our Road, and two frigates that Cruise of and Near the Cape, sometimes they come in and stay a tide and then out to sea. On Tuesday last, Capt Murphy went up to Cedar Creek to take possession of some craft that was there that the torrys go off to the ships to trade with, but upon Capt Murpheys entering the Creek he found a Sloop that had lately ariv'd from New York with several articles such as Salt, Rum, Sugar, Coffee & Tea, &c. &c. he Boarded her, but the men took to the marsch that belonged to her, and Capt Murphey pursued them but could not over take them, however he took four other Gentlemen that was going down to trade with Bacon, Eggs, &c., &c., the Capt brought the Sloop out and got down to our Creek's mouth that night, but could not get his prize in, the next morning there came a schooner tender Belonging to the Ship in our Road, and three Cutters, to Retake sd Sloop, upon which a smart engagement begun which lasted above half an hour, when to Capt Murpheys credit be it spoken that he made them shear off, altho' the Schooners mettle must have been much heavier than the Barges, the Cutter was obliged to towe the Schooner off, and I am certain that she must have Recd some considerable Damage, for I was looking with a glass the whole time of the action; Capt Murphey Recd very little damage save being burnt in the face with his own gun by her blowing from the touch hole. The Sloop he got safe into our Creek where he would be glad to have your orders. There is a constant trade from the ships to Cedar Creek, and I think if you could spare one of your small galleys, the vessels they trade in might be taken, they are a Sloop and Schooner, and mount two six pounders and some swivels each, they are there once or twice a week certainly. Capt Murphey desires that you would send him down powder & ball as far as Mr. John Clowes near this place, please to fail not as he is in want of it.

Colonel Richardson is encamped at Mr. Clowes about 13 miles from this he has taken up several of our Damd Rascals of torrys and I believe he will doe a great deal of Service here; Capt Murphey took several letters in the Sloop which he sent to Colonel Richardson to be forwarded to Congress, they are from the infamous Tho's Robinson, late of this place but now an inhabitant of New York, I hope the letters will come safe to hand and shall take it as a favour if Messr Bradfords would have them put in their useful Paper.

I fear Gentlemen that I have tired you with my long appistle, however you must excuse your humble Servt.

HENRY FISHER.

Directed,

To The Honorable the State Navy Board.

Indorsed,

(Recd 10 August, Abt 1/2 past 3 o'clock P. M.)

## HENRY FISHER TO STATE NAVY BOARD, 1778.

Gentlemen,

On Saturday last, came in and Anchor'd in our Road, a Sixty Four gun ship; she lay there about three hours, and then hove up and went out, and anchor'd abreast of the light House. On Sunday, about Four O'clock, Came in a Small Black Sloop, which she Brought too; and last Night, she and the Sloop went to sea and have not been seen since.

This Day, about noon, Came in Seven Ships, which I take to be Store ships; at Most, there is not above one arm'd Vessel with them, and she not more than a Sloop of War. They are all standing up the Bay, with the wind At South. They Appear as if they were much at a loss to Know what to doe. They are going up under a Very Small Sail, and to all Appearance will not go farther up than the Brown; for I Beleave they lave lost their Convoy. Having no more to add, I Remain your Most Humble Servant at Command,

HENRY FISHER.

Lewis, Augt. 17, 1778.

To the Honorable, the State Navy Board, Philadelphia.

Two O'Clock when the Mg. Express sett off.

H. FISHER.

Mr. Evans, Please to send of this letter to Dover with all the Speed you Can; and all others that Keep the Stage horse are Requested to doe Same.

H. FISHER.

To be Delivered to Collol Beadford to be forward to Philada; if the French Frigate is at New Castle to Send her Notice.

To Collol Beadford, New Castle. F. BATTELL.

New Castle, Augt. 18th.

The Express came to my hands about 9 O'Clock, P. M. & forwarded from hence at 10 O'Clock. The Copy was immediately receiv'd by an Officer of the French Frigate, & taken on Board to the Captain.

G. BEDFORD.

Wilmington, Augt 19th, 1778.

Came to my hands at this place, about half past one O'Clock, this morning, & forwarded by Express.

FRANs WADE, D. Q. M. G.

Directed,

To the Honorable, the State Navy Board, Philadelphia.

Per Express.

Pennsylvania Archives VI: 706-7.

## PRES. REED TO HENRY FISHER, 1779.

In Council,
Philadelphia, May 11th, 1779.

Sir,

I have just received Advice that on the 7th Inst., a Fleet sailed from New York with a Number of Troops on board, its Destination uncertain; supposed by some to the West Indies or Georgia, & by others to Baltimore or some Port in the middle States. We think it incumbent on us to keep a proper Lookout, for tho' this City may not be the Object of their Attack, it is probable they may show themselves at the Capes, with a View to alarm & harass us. I have therefore directed Capt. Roach to go down to you to request you will with your usual Alacrity & Diligence give us all the needful Assistance, & if they should make their Appearance, send the earliest Intelligence by an Express, directing him to keep it an entire Secret on the Road & here, that the Authority of the State having the first Information proper Measures may be taken to prevent that Consternation & Confusion which is apt to take Place in large Cities upon the expected approach of an Enemy. If it is convenient we would wish you to accompany Capt. Roach to Cape May, & there fix Matters in such a Manner that an Express may come from thence under the same Restriction, if the first Appearance should be on that Shore. Besides all necessary Expenses, we shall give the Messengers, if they should come & do their Duty a handsome Gratuity, & shall pay a proper Attention to your Services.

I am, Sir,
Your very Hb'ble. Ser.,
J. R.

Directed,
To Henry Fisher, Esq., at Lewis Town.

Pennsylvania Archives VII: 290.

## HENRY FISHER TO PRES. REED, 1779.

Sir,

I received your letter by Captain Roach, the contents you may Relie on shall be strictly observed by me, and I shall take Care to give you the Earliest Advice upon the appearance of any number of Ships that is seen from this Place.

I likewise have been over to Cape May with Captain Roach, and agree'd with Mr. Abraham Bennett to Doe the like at their Cape. Mr. Bennett is a very good man, and his house Commands a fine Prospect of the Sea to the Eastward. I have the Pleasure to inform you that there has not been seen from here any of the British Cruicers this two weeks Past.

I am Sir, with due respect,
your very humble servant,
HENRY FISHER.

Lewis, May 18, 1779.

Directed,
To his Excellency Joseph Reed, Esqr., Philadelphia. Pr Captain Isaac Roach, Public Service.

Pennsylvania Archives VII: 410.

## CAPT. JAMES MONTGOMERY TO PRES. REED, 1779.

Sir, New Castle June ye 9th, 1779.

I have the Pleasure of informing your Excellency that on the 7th ultimo I fell in with and toock the Privateer Brig't Impertinent of ten Dubel fortifid four Pounders Capt Jacob Getshues of New York out for Days who Struck Imeadently She is a very fine Brig and Sails very fast.

Stood in for the Cape with our Prize and at 11 P. M. anchourd abreast of the Cape but was much Surprised in the morning to See two frigates lying in the Road but the wind being at N. E. and a strong Ebb tid, had Nothing to fear from them made Sail and made a tack to the Eastwrd and Stood up the Bay with my Prize I have Now Learned they are two of our frigates Going out on a Cruze, at aney rate thought best to Com up hear having a Great Number of Prisoners on board and a Great Part of my own Crew Such villons that they would be glad of an opertunity to take the Ship from me Som of the Ringleaders I have Sent up in Irons and for Particulars Liueft Casson will Inform your Excellency, I must have at least twenty or thirtey Seamen mor I Realey have Not Got Six on board of the Ship.

If your Excellency will be so Good as to admit Capt Getshue on Parrol I Shall Esteem it as a Particular favour of your Excelency would take to trubell to Examing him he will Give you a Great deal of useful Information in Regard to the British Cruezers on our Coast in the maintim Shall wait your Excellency's further order.

I remain your mos obed
& Hlbt Servt JAMES MONTGOMERY.

P. S. We retoock a Virginey Schooner two Days before which is lickewise safe arived.

Our Mizen mast is intiearley Rotton.

Directed,

His Excellency, Joseph Reed Esquire.

Pennsylvania Archives VII: 476.

## PRES. REED TO CAPT. JAMES MONTGOMERY, 1799.

Sir, I wrote you this Morning to which I must now refer. This will be delivered to you by Capt. Tucker under whom you are directed to act for 3 Weeks. At the Expiration of the 3 Weeks you are to return within the Capes or keep the Sea as you think best & your Stores will permit —on no Account returning into Port but in Case of the most absolute necessity.

We shall forward all Necessaries to Lewis Town for you—And as a Stroke upon the N. Y. Privateer will redound greatly to your Honor & Interest as well as of the State we trust & all on board will exert yourselves fully.

Wishing you all
imaginable Success I remain, &c.,

June 15th 1779.

Directed Captain James Montgomery.

Pennsylvania Archives VII: 487.

## CAPT. JAMES MONTGOMERY TO PRES. REED, 1779.

Ship Genl. Green, off of Lewis town,
June 29th, 1779.

I had a verey Buisey Week of it beetwixt our Capes and New York, tho' unsuccessful; on Friday last Chaised a Privateer Cloas in With Sandey Hook, and on Saturday Morning fell in with a British Cruser and was oblig'd to Run in turn, and on Sunday Evening Goot in to our Capes, being very foggey, anchor'd; Next Morning, Saw two Large Sail lying within me, hove out our Signall, and found them to bee the Boston and Confedricy; the foog, Clearing more a Way saw a large Ship standing Down the Bay. She Proovs to bee the Deane. We are well informed there is three British frigates Cruzeing off; this morning at day Break heard them fire three Guns, but being Calm Cannot get out to them. I hoop the Breeze will shortly spring up, and make No Doubt but wee shall shortley Give a Good acct of them. I have Ingaged to Cruze some time with them, which I hoop will bee Pleasing to your Excellency. Capt Nicholson, as Eldest Continental Capt Commands our little fleet.

I Remain your Excelencies
Humble Servt, &c.,

JAMES MONTGOMERY.

Directed,

His Excellency Joseph Reed, Esquire.

Pennsylvania Archives VII: 521.

## PRES. REED TO HENRY FISHER, 1779.

Philadelphia, October 2nd, 1779.

Sir,

The Council are informed that the Dragon, one of the look-out boats belonging to this state is ashore near Lewis-town,—that she may be caulked and sent up to the city at a small expence and be of considerable value here.—Whether or not she is under your care I am not informed, and therefore request you will please to write me how she is circumstanced, and whether any thing can be made of her.

I am respectfully
Your humble servant,
T. M.

The Fleet under the command of His Excellency the Count D'Estaing is daily expected on our coast. His Excellency the President requests that you will send to him immediate intelligence of the arrival of the fleet, and also that you will give the earliest possible notice to the boats intending to afford him supplies of fresh provisions.

Directed,

To Mr. Henry Fisher, Lewis-town.

Pennsylvania Archives VII: 730.

## CAPT. JAMES MONTGOMERY TO PRES. REED, 1779.

Cape May, october, 6th, 1779.

Sir,

I have Just Anchor'd hear and take this opertunity of Informing your Excellency of our Wellfair tho we have had a Continued Gail of wind yet we have made a shift to Pick up three Prizes one a New York Privateer & the other Retaken Vessels the Brig Hulker was in Company when we took one of the last, all of which I hoop are arrived by this time.

The Ship has Suffered a Good Deial in her riging &c., but in two or three Days Shalls be abell to Put to Sea a Gain whear I Shall Continuie but a Short tim as our Provitions is all most Expended and the weather Getting to bostorous for our poor Egg Shell to Cruze on this Coast you may Expect Shortly to hear from us a Gain.

I remain your Excellency's
Much obligd Servt

JAMES MONTGOMERY.

Since I Sealed this letter an English Frigate stood Close in with Cape Hinlopen and is Now Standing to the East North East.

Directed,

His Excellency Joseph Reed Esqr.

Pennsylvania Archives VII: 755.

## ISAAC ROACH TO CAPT. BOYS, 1780.

Sir,

I have the plasure of Informing you of my Arriving Safe at this place yesterday. We have heard no Intellagance of any of the Enemies Boats—only one that was Drove a Shore a few miles to the Southward of Cape henlopen, the Crew supposed to be lost As five or six men has been found on the Beach Drownded; this happened about ten Days ago. Our Beef & pork Is half Expended. I have made application to Major Fisher for a Supply & he has promised to furnish me with it. I shall wait here a few days to Convoy several Shallops from this place up the Bay, Which I hope will meet with your approbation. I have not been able to get any more men as yet. Haveing not to ad, I have the Honr to subscribe my Self,

Sir, your very,
Humbl Servt,

ISAAC ROACH.

On board the Delawar Schooner, in lewistown Creek, May 20th, 1780.

Directed,

To Nathan Boys, Esqr., at Philadelphia.

Pennsylvania Archives VIII: 254.

## COMMISSIONERS FOR DEFENCE OF RIVER DELAWARE, TO PRES. MOORE, 1782.

To the Honourable the Supreme Executive Council of the State of Pennsylvania.

The Commissioners Appointed for procuring an Armament for the Defence of the Bay and River Delaware, beg leave to Represent; that it appears to them Necessary that some suitable vessell of Shoal Draft of water be provided, in Addition to the Ship now in the Service, for the purpose of pursueing into the Creeks, &c., the Refugees that so frequently Infest our Bay, and to be Employ'd—Occasionally, as a Tender to such larger Vessel or Vessels as may be continued in the Service, but do not find a Suitable one can be procur'd, unless built for the purpose; and haveing consulted the Different Tradesman find the Estimation will be as follows;—

A Vessel of Forty-Eight feet Keel, Sixteen and a half feet Beam, and five feet Hold, Equipp'd Suitably, will Cost about Twelve Hundred Pounds; this Vessell may carry, when Necessary, Eight, Four or Six pound Cannon, and we Believe will Answer good purposes in the protection of the Trade.

We Therefore pray the Honourable the Council will be pleas'd to grant us their permission for Carying the Same into Execution,

And, are with great Respect,

Their Most Obdt. Hume Servts,

FRANs GURNEY,
WILLm ALLIBONE.

Indorsed,
Oct. 4, 1782.

Pennsylvania Archives IX: 647.

## COMMISSIONERS FOR DEFENCE OF DELAWARE, 1782.

To the Honourable the Supreme Executive Council of the State of Pennsylvania.

We the Commissioners appointed to procure and equip an armament for guarding & defending the navigation of the Bay & River Delaware, most Respectfully beg leave to Represent,

That the Cruize of the State Ship Hyder Ally is now expired, and in our oppinion the Season too far advanced to attempt fitting her out again, so as to enable her to render any Service before the next spring. We are of opinion that a Vessel of a more suitable construction for the defence aforsaid may be Built in the course of the Winter. And to enable us to procure such a Vessel, think it wou'd be advisable to dispose of the Hyder Ally, provided she would sell for a Price equal or near her value, and therefore Pray The Honble Council would be pleased to grant us permission for the sale of the said ship.

We also beg leave to Represent that agreeable to permission obtained, we have now nearly equipped an Armed Schooner for the purpose of Defending the Bay and River Trade, and beg Leave to recommend John Snyder, as a Person in

our opinion well qualified for the Command of her. Therefore request The Honble The Council will be pleased to appoint and Commission him for that purpose.

We are with all due Respect,

The Council's

JNo. PATTON,
FRANs GURNEY,
WILLm. ALLIBONE,
Comrs.

Philada, 3d Decr, 1782.

Indorsed,

Representation from Commissioners for river defence.
Read in Council, Decr. 5th, 1782.
John Snyder appointed to command the schooner, and permission to sell the Hyder Ally, as proposed.

Pennsylvania Archives IX: 672.

## DAVID HALL & JOHN WILTBANK TO WILLIAM POLK & OTHERS

Gentlemen /

We know of no intention in the inhabitants of this part of the County of destroying your houses by fire or otherways and are totally strangers with respect to your complaint of a number of guns being taken from you but notwithstanding should it be otherwise they are very willing they should be immediately returned to the owners on their appearing and proving their property.—

We shall comply with your request with respect to sending some Gentlemen to Confer with on this unhappy difference.

We are Gentlemen your Hble Servt

DAVID HALL
JOHN WILTBANK

June 11th 1776

## DAVID HALL TO GENERAL RODNEY

8 O'Clock A. M.
Lewestown, August 2d, 1777.

Sir

Your Letter by Express arrived last Night by which I find you are anxious to know the movements of the Fleet—On Wednesday we first discovered them & in a little time we could make 23 Sail from the Light-House; they had every Appearance of coming into our Bay one of the small Vessels was placed in the Tail of the Hen & Chickens with a large flag as a Beacon for them & a Ship anchored in the Channel; thus they continued enveadoring to get in 'till the Evening when a large Ship which we took to be the Admiral fired a gun & immediately the whole Fleet backed & stood off; except the Admiral with three or four others which lay close in the Cape 'till thursday Morning & about ten o'clock she fired a signal Gun and stood off for the Fleet which were to the eastward; immediately the whole Fleet

changed their Course to about E. S. E. as near as we could judge the Wind being at S. and about four O'clock P. M.; they were out of sight; whether they were bound to New York or Virginia is not in my power to tell—Our disaffected were greatly disappointed by the Fleet not going up, as they expected the Matter would be shortly settled to their Satisfaction; several went on board of them from Indian River & Nehemiah Field & Samuel Edwards (two Pilots) from off our Beach—The northern & Western Battalions still adhere to their former Principles as not above four made their Appearance under Arms at the Alarm

I am Sir Your humb. Servt

DAVID HALL

Sir / After Colnel wrote this letter Mr John Adams which I have as a proper Person to Attend at the Faulse Cape Came to town and says that there is no Ships nor Vessels Except one ship which lies at Anchor of Indian River, should any thing farther turn up I shall send my Express to you to forward to Philadelphia, I am sir Your Most Humble

Servant—&—

Aug. 2 HENRY FISHER

Saturday 12 o'clock at noon—

## DAVID HALL JR. TO MAJOR GENERAL RODNEY

Wilmington, March 15th 1778—

Dear Sir,

Your favor I received & am exceeding glad to hear our recruiting goes on so successfully, am in hopes it will continue & the regiment be once more on a respectable Footing. I have applied for the Cloth but the General objects to sending it to the Cross Roads but hath given me Leave to send it to Newark where I have ordered the Taylors from Cross Roads; the General desires me (as he is exceeding busy) to acquaint you that he has detained the waggon in expectation of Ammunition from Head-Quarters but it not arriving he has sent the waggon with the Cloth to Newark & from thence it is to proceed down—as soon as we get a Supply of Ammunition the General says he will send what you want, but at present we have but 12000 spare cartidges on hand—we have received information that the Flat Bottomed Boats are on their way down, thinks it would be insecure to send the Cloth down he advises that Coll. Pope immediately remove the Taylors and Shoemakers with their Cloth & Leather to Newark—We have nothing new—

I am

Your &c

DAVID HALL Jr.

To Major General Rodney.

## D. HALL & HENRY FISHER TO CAESAR RODNEY

Lewes Town June 24 Day 1780.

Sir,

We juged it our Duty to Send up to your Excellency Two Prisoners Huge Elias & . . . . . Brought here by Cap Goodwin which he Tuck in a Schooner Belongin to Sunnipuxion Commanded By Cap . . . . . Purnell which they had Taken in a Barge that they came from New York in we ordered them to Be Delivered to Coln Rhoads to Be guarded up to Dover we are your Excellencys Most

Obedent Humble
Servants

DAVID HALL
HENRY FISHER

P. S. Two Ships with Flags from South Carolina came into the Bay yesterday and have Taken Pilots on Board for Philad Genel Lincone and a number of his officers is one Board with a Number of outher Prisoners To the amount 350

To Excellency Caesar Rodney Esquire

## DAVID HALL TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Sir

Captain Nicholson who came Passenger with the honourable S. Dean in the Admiral Ship Languidor commanded by his Excellency the Count Destaing; will present you this—he is on his way to Congress with Express from the Admiral. I shall refer you to him for particulars about the Fleet as he is more capable of giving you Satisfaction in that Matter than I am—

I am Sir your most Obedt
humbl Servt.

Lewestown July 9th 1778. DAVID HALL.

To His Excellency Caesar Rodney Esq.

## DAVID HALL TO MAJOR THOMAS RODNEY

White Plains August 14th 1778.

Dear Sir,

Our men are in great want of Stockings and will be in much greater when the weather gets cooler We shall also want Coats in a few months should be glad they could by any means be procured—I applied to go down to Philada. but could not be spared no other field Officer being here, therefore our sole dependance will be on you—I hope you wont forget me & my two men in the Distribution of the prize sloop Hawk—We have nothing new here except that an Express arrived from Rhode Island to his Excellency informing him that our troops had landed there on Monday last—Count Destaign commands the French troops that land in person—Present my compliments to all friends and believe me to be

Yours sincerely

DAVID HALL

## DAVID HALL TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Sir,

I have sent back Serjt Wilson & Edenfield as there is no necessity for detaining them at this post—

The Act of Assembly made for the relief of those concerned in the late Insurrection allows the married persons that inlist the Liberty of hiring a Substitute & have time given therein until the 10th of February for that purpose so that we cannot in Justice march them from this post agreeable to your Instructions, the Civil officers also object to their being removed until the fees are discharged—The number inlisted amounts to thirty six exceeding fine Recruits and I do not apprehend there will be near the danger of their deserting by detaining them here as if they were removed.

I have the Honor to be

Lewes Decr 9th 1780. Yr. most Obt Hble Servt

His Excellency Caesar Rodney Esq. D. HALL

## DAVID HALL TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Lewes Feby 19th 1781—

May it please you Excellency

The Receiver at this post Captain White upon application to him for provisions replied that he could not furnish any, being without money & no person would sell without having a most exorbinant price in Certificates, and our provision being by that means very scanty I have been under the necessity of permitting the Recruits to go to their respective homes & collect them every fortnight at this place, fourteen have deserted.

As the Recruits cannot remain here without provisions you will send your Instructions what shall be done with them, the Fees being undischarged I cannot make myself liable by marching them off—

If your Excellency should write to the Southward I should be glad you would communicate to the commanding officer the reason for my not joining the Regiment having remained since my leaving the Army in a bad state of Health until these few months past & since that detained by want of Cash & clothing—as I intend setting off at farthest by the first of April for the Army or sooner if I can be provided with money & clothing both of which I cannot do without, you would much oblige if you could point out to me what Method I shall take to procure the money—having received no pay for these eight or ten months past my finances are run very low and I dont know but I should get into Tortar Limbo if I should attempt to leave this place without discharging.

Please present my Compliments to Captain Wilson

I have the Honor to be

Your Excellencies

Most Obt

hble Servt

DAVID DALL.

P. S. You will much oblige me

by forwarding the inclosed

DH.

His Excellency Caesar Rodney Esq.

## JOHN HASLET TO

Sir

By means of Mr. Shee, I am favoured with a Message from you, to know, whether a Colonels Commission in a Continental Battalion, to be raised immediately, wou'd be Acceptable to me. I am much obliged by the Honour of the Proposal, and the Friendship expressed in it, Were I to consult my private Interest, or Domestic Satisfactions, I shou'd be induced to refuse, but, Sir, I have for some time past thought it my Principal Business to support the Present Virtuous Opposition, & think every Wise & Good American must sooner or later second the generous struggle. In this view of the matter, it wou'd be infamy to refuse, rather than Virtue to Accept—I feel no uneasiness in being thus Explicit, but what arises from a consciousness of being unequal to the Task, & the apprehension of bringing unmerited Censure on the Undeserved Friendship, which has dictated the offer, However, if the Congress desire it, I (who look on their Resolves as the Political Bible of Liberty & America), will consider either appointment, as the voice of Heaven, (of the People it Most certainly will be) & strain every Nerve to prove the Confidence of my Friends has not been Misplaced—

As this Business has Orignated from you, Please to Accept my most Hearty thanks for your Goodness to me, & believe me, to be, with great truth & Esteem Sir Your most obedient & most Humble Servt.

JOHN HASLET

Original owned by Mr. W. S. Morse, Seaford, Del.

Lace taken from the body of Colonel John Haslet who fell at the battle of Princetown, pierced thro' the forehead by a musket ball, while leading his men. (A piece of lace attached to letter).

KENT 24th Decr. 1775

## JOHN HASLET TO CAPTAIN RODNEY.

Dr Sir

Have just time to salute you, & to inclose the Proceedings at Mispillion persuant to the Order of Council, if the Council meets this Week, it will not be in my power to attend—

On my Return home I was informed, that A Vessel from Piscataway, was loading in our Creek; having Sold her Cargo of Rum &c to Smith Fausset; that the master had spoke of himself as considered in a suspicious Light by his Countrymen—In this view of the matter, I wrote Fausset the Danger of procuring a Load of Country produce for a Person of so Dubious a Character, without proper Authority, & yt my Opinion as a friend was, that he should discontinue the Matter, till it was farther inquired into—Next morning Smith & the Captain produced to me a Permit from Portsmouth, signed by Hankin Wentworth a Member of their Congress, & the articles of Agreement with his Merchant the Permit was also signed by two other Committeemen—if the Council thinks it worth their Attention—I suppose the Parties will attend on a Summons, or if not; on Request of the Council, I shall find no Difficulty to send them up—tho' from the Mans Looks & air & papers I'm Inclinable to think him a true Man—My Compliments the General, I expect to see you on Sunday, & am with much Esteem Sir

Your most Odebt Servt

JOHN HASLET

Capt. Rodney

Longfield 28th Feby 1776

## JOHN HASLET TO GENERAL RODNEY.

Sir

Two Hours after my arrival at Dover yesterday, I received an Express from Col. Cantwell, with Information, that three Men of War were in sight of Port Penn, that they expected an Immediate Attack, praying Immediate Assistance—Another brought Intelligence, that the Roe Buck was fixt on one of the Thorowfare Shoals; to Ascertain this Capt. Rodney with Lt. Learmonth set out in the night to reconnoitre with Certainty, & meet such troops as we cou'd Arm at the Cross Roads—the Lt. did meet us, the Roebuck had gone off—Capt Caldwell marched with one hundred & thirty men well armed, paraded at 4 O'Clock in the morning at Cantwells Bridge found Capt. Rodney, the Men of War are gone up to Newcastle, or rather to the Chevaux-de-frise, I shall return with the Captain, & Order Capt Caldwell to continue his March, Col; Bedford to take command of the Detachment—the Post brings us the Irish Intelligence, forty thousand Men divided into five Parties, tho' they were all Commissioners, will do very well, if we can get arms, I flatter myself we shall give a good account of our proportional Debarkation—

I have just time to assure you sir, that I am with the greatest Respect & Esteem yr. most obedient Servant

Cantwells Bridge 7th May—1776 JOHN HASLET

Genl Rodney

## JOHN HASLET TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Sir

We are much distressed here on receiving an Order of Congress, inclosed by the Council at Newcastle, to exchange Lt. Ball for a Certain Capt. Budden of the City of Philadelphia; Our uneasiness does by no means arise from opinion, that to exchange an officer of the Roe-Buck for the Master of a Merchantman employed in Private Business, is unequal; but from our Apprehensions of Danger to the Community; if the Lieut. is permitted to go on Board, while his ship continues in our Bay; You, Sir, well know the Humanity with which he has been treated at Dover, the General Acquaintance which he has contracted, & the particular Correspondence he has held with Persons, who have discovered very little Zeal in defence of American Liberty. he has been heard to express great satisfaction on finding so many true subjects to his Majesty in the Circles of his Acquaintance, he knows our Naked & defenceless situation; he knows, it is in his power with 150 men well armed to desolate great part of this seemingly Devoted County. Popes Company is armed by us for the Defence of Lewes.- Capt. Caldwell marched a Detachments of 150 men completed for the Field by my Orders, as soon as Intelligence was had of the Men of War going up the River, which leaves us without a Sufficient Number of guns to mount a Sergeants Guard—all this is known to Mr. Ball—Have not Congress been hurried into this resolve by the Weight of Capt. Buddens Influence in the City, & the Inclination of the Wilmingtonians to Ingratiate themselves with the commander of the Roebuck. I can't help thinking, in the Spirit of a freeman, but with absolute Submission to the Decisions of Congress in the matter appeared in its true light to them, the order had not issued,

the armed vessels are expected down every hour, the Council here have called on me for their Arms, & I shall order Capt. Caldwell to march his Detachment back here forthwith, if the Lt. is sent on Board. In all this I flatter myself with receiving the approbation of Congress—as the future danger, if any, before a Reinforcement, will be in the two Lower Counties—perhaps before the Lt. can march from here, & be sent on Board, we may be happy enough to hear from you—this shall go by Express, hope you will be able to collect my meaning from this hasty unrevised scroll, & shall leave it without other apology, to depend on yr. Good sence to give it weight by your Representation.

I am with Sincere Esteem & great Regard Sir Your most Humble Servt.

JOHN HASLET

Dover 13th May 1776.
Caesar Rodney Esq.

P. S. I have this Instant been informed by the President of the Council now sitting, that their sense of the matter will be sent up with the Prisoners to Newcastle tomorrow—

## JOHN HASLET TO GENERAL RODNEY

Dover 14th May 1776

Sir

Mr. Killen yesterday Evening conjured up Several Difficulties, about the Payment of the Continental Money, it Originated from this—Mr. Bail recd. from me last week One thousand Dollars to pay off the Subsistence of the Troops at Dover, & on my going down to my own House, the Gentleman set out for Newcastle, & has left the accompts unsettled—he had no leave of Absence; will his Receipt be a Sufficient Voucher for me to Congress? Will the Receipts of the Capts on the Back of their Pay rolls be so also, in Case any of them should Embezzle the Soldiers Money, after it is paid to them—I have hitherto paid the Capts only & the Staff Officers, according to the Rule of the Brittish Army. I was extremely wanting to my Self, in not taking the leave of Congress on this Matter while in town as the Circumstances of Some of the Capts are narrow, I find myself much Embarrassed—You will lay me under Infinite obligations by sending me as Early as convenient Your Instructions on this Head

I am with great truth your much obliged &

most Humble Servt

JOHN HASLET

## JOHN HASLET TO GENERAL RODNEY

Sir

I sit down in the utmost Haste to acknowledge yours 23rd. May just come to hand, & also your two preceeding favors, Mr. Evans applied to me some three weeks ago, & received for answer, that as soon as the Clothing cou'd be got from the Tradesmen, five Companies shou'd march to Wilmington, three to be stationed at Lewes. By order of Congress, he left Dover abruptly, & I saw him no more

Wednesday Week I attended on the Troops at Lewes, and find Mr. Evans has furnished almost nothing there but flower; they draw flower from him, and meat from the Council in Great Confusion. I ordered the Quartermaster to settle the Subsistence Accompts up to the 8th May, When the Contract took place. the people are clamorous for the Subsistence Money due since that time; Uncertain whether Congress wou'd allow us any after the Commencement of the Contract have refused to pay, & refered them to the Contractor, which is by no means pleasing to them, shou'd most thankfully receive your Instructions on that head. Two of the Companies are now at Wilmington, & three others under Marching Orders, the Council of Newcastle refused to arm any of their Men, & Capt. Smith on his way to Lewes recd his arms here. Doubtless the Council will soon demand them, as the County is now ungaurded, & a large tract of Marsh covered with stock from one end of it to the other is Open to the Depredations of the Enemy! Ought not an officers Guard to be mounted some where in Little Creek; & another in the Bottom of Mispillion, is not the Property of this County as Valuable as other peoples? should not Proper persons be employed to provide for such guards at the One Place and the other, if Mr. Evans will not supply them, if this Battalion is continued here, Would not the Government be better served in this Way, & the Community equally well; that Part of the Independent Company Stationed at Lewes have no Direction from the Council, no Orders from the Capt. of the Company, & appear as Useless Expenses to our Little Dominion—

Capt. Rodney, Counsellor Killen, &c met on the Receipt of yours, the Barrister promised to essay a Petition, but on my return two days after cou'd do nothing in it, was not apt to take the Lead; 'twas not his business to Collect the . . . . . of the People &c—on all this you will Imagine, I left him with Looks of Indignation—Our first essay was a Petition, which on second thoughts was turned into Instructions to the Representatives of Kent, enjoining Compliance with the Recommendation of Congress; or if that cou'd not be carried in assembly to withdraw in a Body & dissolve the House—

A vast Majority in Sussex are against, all here who endeavored to stiffle the Opposition at first are straining every Nerve to divide, the Poisonous Example of Maryland gives Energy to their Efforts, what the fate of our Application here will be, I cannot with certainty yet inform you: But fear Congress must either disarm a large Part of Kent & Sussex, or see their Recommendation treated with Contempt. Col. Polk's Battalion, 'tis said, will lay down their arms, the Shallopman Oliver brought down from Philadelphia Printed Copies of Petitions agst. a Change of Govermt. most Industriously handed about by Beaucham & others of the Committee—I thank you for your speedy & effectual Interposition in Mr. Balls affair. Every Body sees it now in the true light, tho' Our Privy Council, without Vigour, when you are from among them, would neither write themselves nor keep their Prisoner till the Effect of the Letter to you should be known.

I propose to follow the troops up to Wilmington next week, & hope the pleasure of meeting you in Assembly. I am with great truth & Regard

Sir

Your most Humble Servant

JOHN HASLET

Hon. Caesar Rodney Esq.
On back of letter "May 1776".

## JOHN HASLET TO GENERAL RODNEY.

Worthy Sir

the Inclosed Testimonies &c came to me by Express not two Hours ago, I thought it my Duty to forward them to Congress with all possible Expedition. I should have considered this Business as the unmeaning Effusion of Drunkenness at a Vendue, Had I not good Reason to apprehend, that something Similar is on foot in this hundred. Jos. Oliver one of our Committee brought down lately certain printed Petitions from Philadelphia against Independence as tis said, which have been handed about with great assiduity by others of the Committee. At the Mispillion Muster last Saturday these papers were produced, Squire Clark with others clamorous for them, a scene of confusion ensued, some wou'd muster not at all, others, once a fortnight, & they broke up in disorder. I have by the Express, who brought the Inclosed Letters from Col. Hall & Major McDonough, wrote the Latter Orders to secure all the Ammunition & arms at Lewes, & put himself in the best posture of Defence, to call in the Guard from the false Cape; and if the matter assumes a still more serious appearance, to seize the most suspected of the Ring Leaders as Hostages for the good Behaviour of their Dependents. I have recommended to the Major to pay much Regard to the Opinion of Col. Hall & Mr. Fisher, & to conduct this whole business in a manner as little Offensive to the Inhabitants as possible. Arnolds House, it seems was burnt by Accident, which is made a complaint against the Soldiery. I can't help thinking, tho' very probably mistaken, something of vigorous Exertion necessary in both Counties—A word however to the wise, & yr. Consummate Acquaintance in Both renders it needless to say more, the source of corruption & Direction is at Dover, an Hint from thence, pervades the Lower Part of the County in a trice. Clark Swordin, Beauchamp Cullen &c. tis said, keep up the Circulation. & all the Dirty September? machinery of Church & Presbyterian is hackneyed thro' the Hundred, & thickened as it goes. how matters stand in the upper District, you will better learn from Captain Rodney: that Nest of Hornets, the Congress is sufficiently cursed below—

Have I been too Precipitate in the Orders to Major McDonough Or how shall I conduct myself sorry I am, the troops are at Wilmington, still more that we are not completely armed. the subsistence Accompts of the Battalion will take up my time till Saturday at Dover—then I propose to March towards the Borough, unless some Emergence shou'd call me back to Sussex—the Ammunition Ordered there by Congress, when I was in town, is not yet arrived—I am with the greatest Respect, Sir your most obedt. Humble Servant

JOHN HASLET

Longfield Wednesday 5th June 3 o'clock P. M.

Honble Caesar Rodney Esq.

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Kent 30th June 1776.

Sir

I have the Pleasure to inform you, that the Evening after your Departure, a Party of officers from Snowhill brought up Job Ingram Prisoner to Lewis, where he is now confined, mighty Innocent as he says. Berkley Townsend yesterday morning also surrendered himself & is in Safe Keeping. A small Detachment of

Delawares & Riflemen went in Quest of the General Boar but returned with non inventus est—Capt Overlin & others have signed the Declaration, & been disarmed—

Yesterday recd an Order of Congress dated 25th June to furnish a Guard for the Powder Waggon to Virginia, which was immediately obeyed. at the Same time another dated 18th Inst to station two Companies of the Battalion under my Command at Cape May, to replace two Companies formerly there, now ordered to Canada. You well know, Sir, from the Pecular Circumstances of the Battalion this Order is to me extremely embarassing; it appears to me very probable the Commissary, now absent, will not supply those two Companies with Provisions at such a Distance; you also know, that we have no arms fit to be depended on but the Militia Arms of Kent, & that my Reputation is engaged to the Council of Safety, not to Order them out of the Government, & to return them when called for. You will lay me under great Obligations, by stating this matter to Congress, or by Directions in what Manner to conduct myself. Only furnish us with Arms, & Command us where you please, to send Over two Companies of unarmed men wou'd by no means answer the Intentions of Congress. I have only time to assure you of the most Respectful Regard, from Sir your most Obedient Servant

JOHN HASLET

## JOHN HASLET TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Sir Lewes 6th July 1776—

I did myself the favor to write you by Mr. Bell, how much I was embarrassed by the Order of Congress directing two Companies to Cape May; hope to receive your Answer by this days Post—

Last thursday Evening Arrived here Genl. Dagworthy, Jones & a Band of Patriots from Broad-Creek, who depose & say, that an Open Correspondence is carried on for the purposes of trade with Lord Dunmore, that he daily recruits his shattered Bands among them, that the tories seem rather Irritated than reformed, a copy of their Depositions is inclosed by the Council to the Presidt. on their Request I have ordered down one Company of the Delawares, & on my request they ordered down their Fragment of Independants, a Copy of my Orders to the officers, who commands the Detachment is inclosed to you; & hope (from the Patriotism of the Council for Kent,) my sending their arms so much farther will be pardoned, as 'tis still within the Government. I wou'd fondly hope my Tardiness in obeying the Cape May Order, will not be supposed to Originate in any other Principle, than mentioned in my last to you. for God's sake, let us have Arms. May we not have those saved by Capt. Barry from the Brig? will it not be in your power to engaged for us Rifles to complete One Company, now Pennsylvania is supplied.

I congratulate You, Sir, on the Important Day, which restores to Every American his Brithright: a Day which Every Freeman will record with Gratitude, & the Millions of Posterity read with rapture.

Ens. Wilson arrived here last night, a fine . . . . . Feast at Dover anticipated & announced the Declaration of Congress, Even the Barrister himself laid aside his Airs of Reserve, mighty happy. I must beg pardon for having taken up so much of your time with Small Matters. & am with great Esteem & Respect yr

JOHN HASLET

Honble Caesar Rodney Esq.

## JOHN HASLET TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Sir

I am to acknowledge the Receipt of your favours of the 4th & 5th Inst. Soon after arrived an Express with Orders to station a single Company here, & March the others to Wilmington, I have by Express represented the State of the Battaltion, &c which you will see—I am preparing to obey, if Congress do not reverse the Order in Part-but cannot think of Carrying the Militia Arms up there from Kent—tho if the 8 Ships of War now at the Cape move up the Bay, I shall be puzzled what to do—

Another Insurrection is talked of here as a very Probable Event, on the Removal of the Troops—I have only time to assure you, I am, with the greatest Respect

Sir you most Obedient Sert

JOHN HASLET

Lewes 9th July 1776

Honorable Casear Rodney Esq.

## JOHN HASLET TO GENERAL RODNEY.

Honble Sir

I recd yours with pleasure because it was yours, all the Rest was Indignation—We went over to Long Island, a Genl. Engagement ensued, the Southern Troops i, e. Ld. Sterlings Battalion bore the Violence of the attack & repulsed the Enemy but were outnumbered at least three to one, & obliged to retire; the Delaware Battaltion have been complimented as the finest in the Service, they stood unmoved in firm array four Hours exposed to the fire of the Enemy, nor attempted to retire till they received Orders from the Genl.—, then effected a a most Noble Retreat up to the Middle thru a Marsh of Mud & brought off with them 23 Prisoners—I fear we shall be out numbered, expect every monemt Orders to March off to King's Bridge, to prevent the Enemy Crossing the East River & confining us on another Nook, what the Event will be, God knows, Lt. Stewart & Harney with 25 Privates fell in our Regiment—Ld. Sterling & Genl. Sullivan Prisoners, Miles & Allee, the lame Piper killed—250 of Smallmans missing Alles? Cut to pieces—I fear Genl. Washington has too heavy a task, Assisted mostly by Beardless Boys—if the Enemy can Coop us up in N. York by Intrenching from River to River, horrid will be the Consequence from their Command of the Rivers—

Between five & Six Thousand Dollars of Continental Money remain in my hands, unknowing what to do with it, I have entrusted it to the care of Dr. Rogers & Chaplain Montgomery—if I fall, please to take Order in the Matter—I have not time to say one Word more, tis the first letter I have had time to write, please to mention to some of your Friends below that I am well, by whose means it may reach Mrs. Haslet—I am with

Great Esteem, Sir your most Obedt.
Humble Servant

JOHN HASLET

Hon'ble Genl Rodney.

Camp at N. York August 31st 1776

## JOHN HASLET TO GENERAL CAESAR RODNEY.

Sir

Not having it in my power to write you one word worth you attention. I have troubled you but once, here are we on the Heights above King's Bridge, exposed to wind, Weather & the Enemy, who appear to have it nearly as much in their Power to cut off our communications as ever. Our army has been once already deranged—Immensity of Labour & Expence thrown away in fortifying L. Island at once abandoned, & N. York soon to be in the same situation, from the superior Number of the British Troops, & the Advantages of their Fleet the City is Indefensible, (you know, Sir, I speak only my own Opinions to those in whom I confide) their throwing men across any part of N. York Island, easily in their power some where to effect in one night, & diging up a slight intrenchment, effectually reduces the City & all within their Line, to the Dire Necessity of fighting at vast Disadvantage, or Surrendering at Discretion, Dreadfull Alternative! Had Long Island been rendered useless to the Enemy, N. York laid in Ashes, when we were Ordered to L. Island, and the Heights between this & Connecticut Properly Occupied, the Enemy must have attacked at Disadvantage; or we at Liberty to fight when we pleased, & if Worsted, wou'd have had it in our power to retire to the next Adjacent Hill, & obstinately disputed every inch in their Progression tis true, this kind of Devastation may be condemned as cruel, but Provinces e'er now have been sacrificed with Applause to the Safety of a Kingdom, & what ought not to be done for the Safety of a Continent, the Gen.l I revere, his character for Disinterestedness Patience & fortitude will be had in Everlasting Remembrance; but the vast Burthen appears much too much, his own. Beardless Youth, & Inexperience Regimentaled are too much about him, the original scheme for the Disposition of the army appears to have been on two Narrow a Scale, & every thing almost sacrificed, or Indangered for the Preservation of N. York & its Invirons, all which deserve from every Honest American Political D—nation. We have Alarm upon alarm—Orders now issued & the next moment reversed. wd. to Heaven Genl Lee were here is the Language of officers & men. I had the honor to mention to you in my last, that the Delaware Battalion is in high Reputation. In consequence of Ld. Sterlings Captivity, a new Arrangement has been made of the Troops, all the Pennsylvania & Delawares are here in Genl. Mifflins Brigade, who complimented me yesterday on the Behavior of our Troops. Shall thank you for a Line to him in our favor, when you write him next—Coll. Smallwood wou'd also been with us, I'm told, but for a Dispute of Rank between him & me which when brought before the Genl. was decided in our favor—

To your Last you will before now have received a short & Dry Answer how cou'd it be otherwise. Human patience cannot bear it—However from the choice of N. Castle Messr. McKean & Reed will be continued most certainly & nobody to vie with you but Dr. Ridgely, whose attachment to his Interest will certainly induce him to decline; if so, all is well, as we say in Camp—

I request you to make my compliment to the Barrister & Capt. Rodney I condole with them mightily in their present State of Dejecting Dereliction, & beseach them to inform Mrs. Haslet, I am well—

We expect every moment Something Important here, & hope in our next to fight on more Equal terms, & give you a more pleasing Accompt—

I am, Sir, with much Respect & Esteem your most obedt. Servt.

JOHN HASLET

Sept 4th 1776 Camp at Kings Bridge.

## JOHN HASLET TO GENERAL RODNEY.

Camp near Mount Washington 5th Oct. 1776.

Sir

Your favor 12th Sept'r is now before me, for which you have my most. Hearty thanks. Your attention to Mrs. Haslets Peace of mind, & Industry to preserve it, are infinitely obliging. Your congratulations in Behalf of the Regiment are thankfully recd. & I have the pleasure to assure you, are seconded by the whole army here. Our continual Movements from place to place, with constant Fatigue prevented my writing you the first month, as oft as my Inclination prompted: & since have been nearly a month confined by the Dysentery, from our Exposure on Long Island to cold & damp Lying on the Ground, have been so emaciated & exhausted as almost to bid Farewell to everything just begin to recover.

I did feel some uneasiness with Respect to a change of the Delegates at first, but on Second thoughts pronounced it Groundless—but find it recur on your proposing to retire & quit your Station. I acknowledge the Justice of your Reasoning; & the Ingratitude of the People, as well as the Malignity of their present Leaders; the venal sycophantic Race do not deserve the Consideration of Men of Wisdom & Virtue for anything in themselves—I know, you have already sacrified a large share of Private Property to the Evil & unthankful, in this you resemble the Supreme Manager, who makes his sun to shine on the Evil & the good & bad as times are, you have a few friends still of the Latter Character. And my dear sir, who can better afford it, Providence has blessed you with a fortune to your prudence Inexhaustible, by which you are enabled to live where you please and to keep the first Company where you do live, & all this with few drawbacks upon it. how then can you lay out a part of it to more Noble a purpose, than in serving your Country, guarding her Rights & Priviledges & forcing Wretches to be happy, even agst their will. In this you will act as Vicegerent of the Soverign Goodness, & cooperate with Heaven to save a Wretched Race; & tho' you may not effect the Righteous purpose the Testimony of an approving Conscience the Applause of Conscious Virtue & the approbation of all good Beings will more than Ballance the Sacrifice, a 1000 things might be urged to the same, purpose, but a word to the wise

I'm not all surprised at the Tory stratagem to leave you out of the Convention Ticket, 'tis like the Rest of their Doings, Dark, Low, dirty, illiberal—what a wretched struggle must they have had in Convention their Consciences drawing one way, & the Influence of Congress another. I'm told, they have done as little as possible, & modelled their New Government as like the old as maybe. Dr. Ridgely going home sick, is only the old Stale Trick over again. I'm told their influence in New Castle is much on the Decline & an Entire Revolution in favour of Whigs expected next Election; wou'd to Heaven, Kent wou'd open her Eyes, & do likewise.

As to Military Matters, have little to write; On the Brave Ld. Sterling being made a Prisoner, We. with the Pennsylvanians, went into Genl. Mifflins Brigade, & encamp on the Lines by the Genl's. House—you will have heard before this can reach you of the skirmish on the 16th Ulto. in which the Enemy were repulsed with spirit, & fled with so much precipitation as to leave there five field pieces behind them, (We lost but five on L. Island), Loss on our side a Brave Col. Kroulton, a Capt. & 4 or 5 privates, about 30 wounded—a few Days ago a foraging party 2000 Strong

under Genl. Putman advanced with 100 Waggons to forrage on Harlem Plains in the Intermediate space between their Lines & ours, & brought off their Waggons loaded with wheat unmolested—the Enemy at first struck their tents expecting an attack but seeing our Intention, looked quietly on. Putnam had much mind to salute them, but a Peremptory Order from Genl. Washington commanded the Party back with the forage—You see, they have no great appetite for fighting. Our Lines from the East to the North River with Harlem River in the Rear, are now so strong, that 'tis thought they will not attempt them if they attack at all, 'tis expected farther up the East River at Morrisania, to get between us & the Country, or on the Jersey Side—Many think they have reached their ne plus ultra for this campaign—Col. Moylan thinking himself unequal to the task of Q. Master Genl. has resigned. Genl. Miffln—appointed to that Office protempore Col. Shee has unconsciously resigned his Regiment—am obliged to break off here, high time say you—I shall be happy to hear you are well, & whatever you communicate of Men & things will oblige your most obedt & most Humble Servt.

JOHN HASLET

GENL. RODNEY

## JOHN HASLET TO GENERAL RODNEY.

Dr. Sir

I did myself the Honor to write you a day, or two ago, have got into the the vein of Scribbling, & shall pester you without Mercy, while that humor lasts. Yesterday Morning, the Roebuck the Phoenix, & the Repulse, (which had lain in in the N, River with two others at the end of the Enemies lines) moved up the River with all the Ease & Unconcern Imaginable, & passed the Chevaux amidst the Thunder of our Artillery from Mount Washington, & Constitution, a very Furious canonade was continued for upwards of two Hours. Our Men all upon the Lines expecting an Immediate Attack, but nothing of the kind happened, they saw no Enemy, scarcely any body was seen on Board the ships, nor did they fire a single Gun, except two broadsides at fort Washington—'tis said, they recd. some shot; By this movement Our Communication with the Country by Water is cut off, a very considerable Loss to us; there was a good deal of firing up the River; & tis sd two gondolas & two small traders of ours taken—two Millions Feet of Plank necessary to Barrack the Army, We have not half of one; down the N. River, the Easiest Way to have got them, now impassible. it wou'd be a joke if it had not too much melancholy in it. The Phoenix & Rose passed down in August, thro' the Only Gap in the Chevaux, which has been left open even untill now; the ships moved up to them at a Gentle Rate, then stood in close to the Shore, passed the Open, then stood out, to avoid one sunk a little below close on shore; Such is their Intelligence of Every Motion & neglect of ours—the Prisoners mentioned in my last, informed the Genl on Oath, that the Common Conversation with them was, let the Rebels build Barracks, then we shall attack & carry their Lines, & the Lodgement will serve us for the winter; that they are in want of fresh Provisions, but healthy, & a large Number of Transports sent to Ireland for Provisions.

I had the Honor to wait on B. G. Ld. Sterling just returned to camp; to congratulate his safety & Reappointment to Command of his old Friends in Bri-

gade; Q. M. Miffln last night arrived; the Flag with his Ldship, brought me Letters from Poor Stewart, has he been politely treated by the Capt. of the Ld. Rockford, but writes in the most Languishing plaintive, Pitious terms of his Captivity, & begs in very moving strains yr. generous Interposition for his Exchange. he knows yr. Influence in Congress—he desires his complinents to Miss Wilson & Nixon. In my late Illness recd most Cordial Sympathy & many favors from Lt. Col. Cadwallader. But am I right in my head, to ramble at this rate & to you, yet can assure you tis but little past 10 o'clock P. M. therefore it must be Delirium, which yr. Goodness will forgive.

In my last forgot to mention the State of Popes Company; Himself has done almost no Duty since he left Philadelphia; Wells Cashiered, Stewart a Prisoner; & Mr. Wilson not well this fortnight, his step, like mine, too Quick—there is Mr. Benjamin Hazel, a volunteer, fled from the Tories for Better Company—wd. not be disagreeable to the officers nor to me, tho' I have no acquaintance; if he has your Approbation, shou'd be glad, you wou'd have his commission sent up as soon as may be; or if Mr. John Ball is better liked, he had something like a promise from me; it will be a means of introducing either of them to a Company on the New Establishment. I believe it will give no Offence to Messrs Stewart & Wilson; because the former wishes only to serve in capacity of surgeon if at all; the Latter purposes going to sea atye end of this Campaign—Your Sentiments soon will oblige. also what you think of the Regular Regiment. Commissioners have been here, from the Convention of Pennsylvania to know, who will serve, who not.

Five Boats full of Eastern Troops, were sent in a Dark Night to force Montresores Island, Only one landed, 4 ran away; Major Henley a Brave Officer, killed, had another Boat supported him, the Island had been their own, his men repulsed with Loss: a Capt. made the Scape Goat of the Party, tried by Ct. Martial, Ordered to be Cashiered, the Genl. offended, that it want Capital, ordered them to reconsider the Matter; the Court sent him a Letter with Peremptory Refusal; they had decided by the Articles of War, the testimony & their Own Consciences, Reconsideration needless—so far the Matter is gone—a Virginia Majr. Wounded in the Skirmish on the Sixteenth, since Dead of his Wounds, the Eldest Capt. of the same Regiment appointed to succeed him, the Capts. of two other Regiments Elder than the Gentleman promoted, wasted on the Gen'l with a Remonstrance agst it as Injury to them couched in very strong terms.

Some officers have poured much contempt upon the Eastern Troops, & great Animosity subsists just now among them—'tis true, they are not like the Children of the South, this however between Ourselves 'tis even got among the Soldiery. whose Officers, I think much to blame, who have sown the seeds of Discord, & have used my small Influence to discourage it, for two Reasons, One, 'tis directly Contrary to the spirit & resolves of Congress. 2d. that 'tis likely to have most Dangerous Consequences By this time, Sir, you think at least, the Man has certainly lost his Senses, truly tis something like it, but have just enough left, to assure you, I am yr.

JOHN HASLET.

Have wrote Nicol. Vn Dyke a most flaming Letter, runing O'er with Patriotism, praying him not to let the People attend Noxtown fair rather than ye Election & sell their Birthright for a piece of Ginger bread—Dr. Tilton writes Capt. Clark on ye Same head on back of letter.

Honorable B. General Caesar Rodney Esqr.

Dover

Honble Sir/ I think I mentioned in a former Letter my apprehensions, the Enemy w'd pass by Our Works, & land farther up the Country— yesterday one hundred Sail ships of War & Transports sailed up to . . . . og's point—. . . . . 8 miles from Harlem, & debarked 'tis sd.—between

(Note on top of page in pencil) This letter, without date, was written Oct. 10, 1776 as appears by comparing it with one of Gunning Bedfords p. 200 of "Life of Geo. Read."

## JOHN HASLET TO GENERAL RODNEY.

(First part Missing)

. . . . . ten thousand Men a Great Number of Vessels we just hear, went up last night— . . . . . erter who came Over yesterday, informs, that Genl. How has divided his whole . . . . . into three Divisions, that Fifteen thousand are to land at the place above men . . . . .the same Number to come up the North River, & attack on that Side—that two . . . . .ades are left on York Island to Defend their Lines, commanded by Genl. Grant—. . . . . s, flanked on Right & Left by two Battalions of Hessians—to oppose this Body . . . . have to the North of Harlem River 5000 Men from Massachusetts & N. Hampshire just arrived . . . . , McDougals, Clintons Parson's & two other Brigades, amounting to more than . . . . . more, this Accompt I had yesterday from Ld. Stirling—On a few days now seems to hang the Fate of the Campaign, & the American Army; if we are able to repulse them, I think nothing farther will be attempted—if they succeed, & can draw a line behind us from River to River, We are completely Surrounded, & the utmost exertions of desparate Valor alone must cut away thro them to the Country—I have already given you my sentiments of the Arrangement, & derangements of the Army, need not repreat them. Genl. Washington gave it in Orders yesterday, that he now thinks himself sufficiently strong, & is determined to defend his Post to the last Extremity. One of the two deserters, who came over yestereday, says Ld. George Lennox Br. to the Duke of Richmd lately Arrived, & brought with him 20,000 Men, 3,000 from Gibralter, 2000 from . . . . . the rest Hessians & Hannoverians—this is certainly Exaggeration—I have heard from Genl. Sterling; that Lennox is arrived with 12 sail, & no more—if I survive the Conflict you shall hear from me Our fate as soon as possible Adieu

JOHN HASLET.

Genl. Rodney

Camp at Mt. Washington Sunday 13th Oct.

On back of Letter
"13th October 1776"

## COLONEL JOHN HASLET TO CAESAR RODNEY.

(His last letter.)

Dr. and worthy Sir,

When I last wrote you, God knows, I do not, this I can affirm, that I have received no answer. After a long retreat from a full conviction of the Enemy's superior number, but performed in order, with a firm determined countenance, we at least slept on ye. banks of Delaware—there we were stationed—thank you says Genl. Rodney.

On Christmas at 3 o'clock we repassed the river—a party of Virginians formed the Van Guard & did the most of the fighting—Lord Sterling's Brigade had the honour of fighting 1000 Hessians to a surrender—We should have gone on, panic struck they would have fled before us, but the inclemency of the weather rendered it impossible—We repassed the river, rested one day & then were ordered back—I'm sorry to inform the Genl. that Capt. Holland, Ensign Wilson, Dr. Gilder & myself are all who have followed the American Cause to Trenton, two privates excepted—On Genl. Washington being informed of this, he declared his intention of having officers & men bound neck and heel and brought back as an example to the army—I told the Genl. the truth but not the whole truth—The last I reserve for you, and you will blush with me—Seven Philada. Light Horse, yesterday brought in nine light horse men, with one horse, who were sent to impress waggons—We just now hear, that the bridge on this side Princeton is cut down and the enemy retiring—a sufficient number of troops are ready to drive them out of the Jersey—We hope to greet you well—on our victorious return from Trenton, I fell into the Delaware at 3 o'clock in the morning, up to my middle—have had the piles and swelled legs ever since but no matter, if we drive them to New York—If I return it will be to salute you, if not we shall meet in Heaven—Your Goodness will give Mrs. Haslet such news as you think proper—I have Genl, Washington's leave to return and superintend the recruiting service at home—but cannot go for a few days longer—Hope soon to lay myself at your feet, and am wt. great esteem & sincerity

Your JOHN HASLET

the four Allens, we hear, are with Genl. Howe, Galloway &c—the former fled his Br. the Genl. in pursuit—Mr. Tilgham informed the Genl. in my Hearing, that the Dover Light Horse were coming up—is it so I shall believe like Thomas, when I see it—Genl. Washington is Dictator. I mentioned to Lord Sterling t'other day, that I thought myself dismissed from the Service, on Col. Smallwood being preferred before me—what made the case in point, was dispute of Ranks between us, determined by the General himself in my Favour—the preference was as in Genl. Wooters case a modest Hint to retire—they both remonstrated, I shall not take my Resolution till I see you, or can give the Reasoning . . . . & for at large—I hope, you recd. my last it was a . . . . . of Journal closed at Brunswick one day with God bless you—we shall certainly drive them off—

the hand of Ishmael was here, meaning Miller, a very important part of the Delaware Regiment at Present—Gilder is sick he is to serve with me at the Head of

Lord Sterling's Brigade & insists his compliments to Misses Wilson, Nixon, Millers, & the General Himself, if he pleased to accept them—

On back of letter, written
"Will meet him in heaven"
1st January 1777
From Col Haslet to
Caesar Rodney
a few days after
Col. Haslet fell at Princeton

## COPY OF A LETTER FROM CAPTAIN KIRKWOOD, OF THE DELAWARE REGIMENT, TO HIS FATHER.

Brunswick June 23rd 1777

Hon'd Father:

I have the pleasure of dating my letter from this place, which has of a long time been the den of thieves and murderers. I intend this letter as a Journal of what has happened since my last writing to you. By the time I had sealed my last letter, our division were all under arms. We were marched first to Kingston, and from thence to a place called Rocky hill, five miles south west of Somerset Court House. At that place our whole division encamped for the night. Next morning we were alarmed by the firing of our cannon and were immediately under arms. From thence we marched to Correll's ferry on the Delaware, with great precipitation, to secure our baggage on the other side of the river. When we had come in sight of the ferry we were ordered one and a half miles back, where lay that night at the roots of trees, I was so tired, that I slept as sound as ever I did on a bed. The next morning being the 15th instant, we began our march back by the same road we came the day before, when we turned to the left and marched on until we came to a place called Sowerland Mountain, where we encamped and immediately set to building booths of birch. Just as I had one completed for myself, orders came to me, that I must command a picquet guard, about three miles from where we were encamped, which was not very pleasing, as we had been three days constantly marching. But getting my guard ready, I set off for the place to which I was ordered. After marching about a mile, I stopped at a tavern where the Hon. Major-general Sullivan was. I requested him to let me have a scouting party as a detachment of the picquet, and a guide to show me the road where the enemy lay. My request was granted, and with my guide I proceeded on my march. Upon coming to the place appointed, I stopped—took out fifty men for the scout, and left the same number behind.

I took Lieutenant McCannon along with me and proceeded towards the enemy who lay about a mile and a half from our picquet. I told my guide if he deceived me, he should be the first I would Kill. He promised very fair, but said he did not know the very place where their out picquet lay. After marching the distance of a mile and a half from the picquet, as near as I could guess, I stopped at a house; it being then between the hours of ten and eleven at night. The People

of the house seemed much frightened at my appearance among them at first, but when they found out who we were, they were satisfied. I inquired if we were near their out sentries. They told me I was on the enemy's side of them, and that a wheat field which I had passed, seemed red with them at dark. I thought my situation none of the pleasantest and immediately withdrew a little distance from the house. My guide informed me, that a man who lived a mile from where we were was then among the regulars, but came home almost every night. That he had a negro man bound apprentice to him to learn the trade of weaving, and that the master of the negro offered a considerable sum to any person who would bring him his servant. It being the dead of the night and my guide being timorous, I thought I would pass away some more of the night by trying if I could get the tory and the negro. Upon coming near the house, heard the door shut. I then divided my party into three divisions, and surrounded the house. I left the men about three rods from the house and went in myself. The woman seemed much frightened. I asked her if there had been any of the rebels there lately. Finding I was on that strain of discourse, marks of joy appeared on her countenance, and she answered—"Lord they have scarcely left the house, take care or they will surround you." I told her not to be under the least apprehension, for I thought I could nearly drive all the rebels myself. She replied, "You can't think now numerous they are."

She caused her daughter to bring me sweet milk to drink, and bread and butter to eat; and sent out a cheese to the men, and divided two loaves of bread among them. She then asked me "If I had seen her husband lately?" I told her I had not, but believed he lay in the centre division betweeen Brunswick and Somerset. She begged me, for heaven's sake, not to let him come out any more, or he would be taken by the rebels, for that they were hourly after him. I promised to comply with her wishes, and told her, her husband understood my intention of coming out that evening, and requested the favor of me to bring him a negro that was bound to him. She answered she would send him with all her heart, but the boy being scared that evening, had gone to a house about three miles off. I asked if it were a plain road. She said "No, it is very difficult." Seing a little boy, a son of hers about twelve years old, I told her if she would let him come along with me, I would do her husband the favor of getting his boy for him. At first she was afraid of our meeting the rebels, but on telling her my numbers were very large, she consented to let her son go. I left the house holding the boy's hand in mine, and we soon got extremely sociable. He told me the rebels that day had taken all his father's horses, but one fine horse, his father had got at Brunswick last Winter, and for fear of the rebels, he had sent him to the house we were going to. He said that Mr. Gower, (the name of the man to whose house we were going) and his father were very great; that said Glower was almost every day at General Washington's Camp to get news, and that he told his father all he could learn, as to the detached posts of the rebels, and their numbers at all the different stations, and that his father told the regulars. I assure you the little boy knew as much of our army as I did.

Coming up to the house, I knocked at the door. Gower rose and let me in. I inquired whether the rebels had been there lately or not. He said, they had been within sight that evening, but had not called. I told him, it being so fine a moonlight night, I could not think of returning without harrassing them a little. He said my best way would be to lie by until day break, at which time they would go down the road, and I would have a good opportunity of taking some of them prisoners,

as I was then within half a mile of the right regulars' front division. I inquired for the negro boy, but he told me the rebels had taken him about dark. After I had got all the intelligence I wanted from him, I made myself known; at which he was so struck that he could not speak a word. I then made him put on his clothes—sent for the horse I have mentioned, took his negro man, and put both of them under guard, and so returned. Day broke by the time we had got within half a mile of our picquet.

From thence I sent Gower to the General, who had him ironed and sent to Flemington, and I have neither heard of tory, negro, or horse since. His neighbors seemed very glad he was taken, for they said he was the very worst they had there. I returned in the morning by the way of the enemys' picquets, but found they had been called in the evening before to the main body. So I went back to the mountains where we staid until the 19th instant. (On this day the enemy set a number of houses on fire.) We now marched back to Rocky hill, where we remained until the 22nd, and then marched to this place. The enemy left the bridge, (which is a fine piece of work,) standing. It is twelve feet wide, and has about thirty pillars.

We are now under marching orders, I suppose towards Amboy. It seems a little strange that on the Sabbath day we should leave this place, and on the Sabbath day come into it again.

No more but remain your loving son,

ROBERT KIRKWOOD CAPT D. R.

The above letter, is said to be the only one remaining of the gallant captain Kirkwood; and on that account, as much as any other, we preserve it in the pages of the Register."

Delaware Register, Vol. 2 p-425.

## JOHN McKINLEY TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Wilmington April 7, 1777.

Sir,

Since you went abroad I was forced to write to the several commanding officers of the respective battaltions, in your brigades, & sent a parcel of copies of the act, for Establishing a Militia in this state, to be properly distributed & desired that they would severally take the most speedy & Effectual measures to supply all the vacancies among the officers by Elections to be held, as in that act is set forth, & that afterwards they would transmit to me the name of the persons so chosen, the times when, & the particular officers to which they should be severally Elected. Also Exact lists of the names, & Ranks, of the several commissioned officers in their respective battalions, specifying the dates of their several commissions, that accordingly Commissions may issue to them respectively—I also desired that they w'd exert themselves, to know & perform their several duties, & to hold themselves & those under their respective command, in constant readiness to oppose their Enemies, on Every Emergency. These orders I hope you will take care to be speedily complied with throughout your brigade, especially as by a

copy of a letter from Genl Washington, dated the 31st, ultimo, Enclosed to me by Congress notice is given that 3000 British & Hessian Troops had Embarked about ten days before from New York & Staton Island on board of Transports laying at the latter, & being uncertain where they were destined, advising therefore that we should be prepared to defend ourselves, in case of a descent or attack. The president of Congress having likewise transmitted a resolution of that Honourable Body "recommending to the government of this State, to plan such a guard at Lewes Town at the continental expense, as may be tho't sufficient, to protect the persons employed as Pilots, & such property of the good subject of the United States, as shall be thrown on that or the adjacent Coasts & the same being laid before the Privy Council it is ordered as the best method of complying with that resolution, that a guard be furnished of the Militia of this State, for the purpose afforesaid, to consist of a Captain, 1 Ensign, 2 Leuts, 4 Sergeants, 4 Corporals, a drum man & a fifer, & 70 Privates, which we imagine ought to be stationed in two divisions, the one at the Light House, & the other at the false cape & relieve in rotation once a fortnight I am to write to Congress to know in what manner they are to be furnished, paid, & Subsisted—You will be pleased to give orders to the commanding officers of the several Battalions of Militia in your brigade, that they may cause those under their respective commands, to get themselves in perfect readiness to perform this service, as speedily as possible & to be ready, to march completely Equipped to defend themselves, against their Enemies on the most sudden Emergency

I am with esteem & regard
Sir, yr very humble Servt.

JNO McKINLY

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## JOHN M'KINLY TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Wilmington April 25, 1777.

Sir

I have recd a letter from the President of Congress, Enclosing some resolutions of that honourable body, of the 19th inst, founded on a representation made by the delegates of Maryland, of the imminent danger of an Insurrection, in the counties of Somerset & Worcester in that state & that the insurgents may be joined by disaffected persons in Sussex Co in this State, & recommending measures to the government of said States to prevent such insurrections, & to detect & defeat all Conspiracies that may be formed in these Counties against the liberties of America. As this is the only information I have had of any danger of an insurrection in the County of Sussex, & as it comes in such a manner, renders it highly necessary, that a proper inquiry should be speedily made, as to the conduct of the Inhabitants of that County, which may have occasioned the above representation—& as the Western Battalion of that County belongs to your brigade, & as I can place much confidence in what you represent, I do earnestly request that you would make a speedy & full Enquiry, Concerning this Affair, & write me your sentiments there-

upon, that thereby I may be enabled as Early in the Session as possible to give such information as may be needful, to the General Assembly , who are to meet at New Castle next Thursday & that such measures may be pursued as may appear most likely to conduce to the public welfare—pray fail not—You may write by one of the members of the General Assembly. Your compliance will much oblige the public & particularly yr very humble Servt

JNO McKINLY

Pray how goes on the Militia—I have
not yet recd the necessary returns required from y'r brigade

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## JNO. McKINLY TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Wilmington the 29th of April 1777.

Sir,

Congress have made a requisition of 1500 of the Militia of this State who are to be well armed & accoutred & to rendezvous in Brandywine hundred in this Co. By the 15th. day of next month where a camp is to be formed & where tents & Camp equipage will be ready to be delivered to them—A Comm'ee of 3 members of Congress with Genl. Mifflin were appointed to confer with the President & Council of this State to enforce necessity of complying with the above requisition—who met here yesterday, accordingly when they showed the necessity fully, as from several circumstances Genl Howe will by that time make an attempt upon Philada. both by land & water, unless by our having a superior force ready to oppose him, he be deterred therefrom altogether—which makes the aid of the Militia absolutely necessary for about 6 weeks in which time it is expected that Genl. Washington (who is now very deficient but whose army is daily increasing fast) will have a sufficient number of continental Troops under his command—so that it is tho't the salvation of our country & every thing that ought to be dear to us depends under Providence on a hearty & speedy compliance—Another camp is to be formed at the same time of a suitable number of the Militia of Penn, near Philadā. The following in concluded to be the most equal way of raising the quota of this State—to wit, New Castle Co. 550 in 8 companies of each 54 privates, serjeants, corpls drumr & fifer 10 commissioned offrs 4, in all 68—8 comps 544. Field & staff Officers 6-550. Kent Co. the same. Sussex, 6 Compies of the same number of privates & officers makes 408. Field & Staff 6, makes 414. Total 1554. I suppose you will speedily convene three officers you think proper in your County & Set about & complete this necessary business as speedily as possible, so as to raise the quota thereof in time. We were thinking that the Western Battalion of Sussex Co. under your command being more remote from the approaches of the enemy's ships & also much stronger than any of the others in that Co. should furnish one half of the Quota of that Co. However, you can settle that affair with Gen. Dagworthy to whom please to forward by Express as speedily as possible the letter herewith sent for him to your care as I have only got the bearer, who is an Ensign in the Delaware Battalion to go as far as Dover & I shall repay you the expense

when you let me know it. The first division of the Militia, composed of the foregoing members, it is proposed shall stay 3 weeks & then be relieved by a equal number raised in the same manner & proportion in each of the 3 Counties who are to stay another 3 weeks which will complete the time it is tho't they may be wanted—You know the pay is fixed. Pray exert yourself & animate those under your command to a speedy compliance, as it is hoped this may be the last time the Militia may be wanted, but I have no doubt but that you will —the credit of our state & the liberties of America require it—Transmit me the names of the officers that may be appointed to the 1st Divisn (w'h may like the men, be taken from the several Comps. as Detachments) that I may issue Commissions—Write me frequently how you proceed as it is necessary I shou'd inform Congress—I am exceedingly hurried to get the Messenger off, so you will excuse any inaccuracy, as I have scarce time to read this long letter over again after writing. I sincerely wish you success & would fondly hope you will meet with it to the credit of the State & the good of our great-glorious & common cause—it behooves to settle the Quota with Genl. Dagworthy speedily—no time is to be lost

I am, with esteem & regard

Sir, your humber serv't

JNO M'KINLEY

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## JOHN McKINLEY TO PRESIDENT OF CONGRESS

Wilmington 6th May 1777

Sir

Upon the return of my Messenger with Your's of the 19th Ulto. in answer to mine of the 8th & 18th of the same Month respecting the placing a Guard at Lewes Town I prevailed upon Major McDonagh one of my Council, to go down there to inquire into the State of the Militia of the County in general & of that Company in particular then doing Duty as a Guard, under my Orders, as mentioned in mine of the 18th aforesd. in order to determine whether that Guard, as requested by the Honble Congress, cou'd be regularly & duly kept up by a rotation of Service of the Militia, or whether it might not answer the expectations of Congress better, to form a Company to continue on Duty till discharged by them From Major McDonagh's knowledge of the Race & People & the esteem & confidence his prudent conduct had procured, when there the last year, commanding a Detachment of the Continental Delaware Battalion on the like Service, I flattered myself that on his Report I cou'd have got that Guard properly established, but as he carryed with him the Letter you enclosed to me for Mr. Henry Fisher, upon the delivery whereof Mr. Fisher informed him that it contained blank Commissions to be filled up by Mr. Fisher for such Officers as he shou'd think fit to appoint for the Company that was to compose the Guard, which by the Resolutions of Congress of the 26th of March the 11th & 17th of April transmitted to me, I was to place there & provide for, he did not intermeddle further. Upon this Report, with the approbation of my Council, I now beg the favour of you to request the Honble Congress to relieve

me & my Council from the remaining part of the Duty, to wit, the providing a Person to supply Provision for that Company & the application of the 1500 Dollars I recd. from the Commissioner of the Continental Loan Office of this State, on the Warrant you were pleased to enclose to me, as any Division of Authority in the Direction & Management of this Business will probably delay or defeat it & for the further reason that I may not be considered in any manner answerable for the conduct of those of whom I can have no direction. or controul Since mine of the 25th in answer to your's of the 20th Ulto. respecting the inimical Disposition manifested by a considerable part of the Inhabitants of Sussex County, in the State, I wrote to several Battalions of that County & to General Rodney in whose Brigade one of the Battalions of that County, contiguous to Worcester County the paragraphs in General Rodney's Letter in answer thereto is as follows—"I wrote & sent an Express to Colo. Polke relative to the Enquiry I was to make concerning the Insurection, who writes for Answer that he never knew the People there more quiet, that he will make all Enquiry in his Power, agreeable to my Orders, but verily believe there is not the least foundation for the suspicion especially as to his Battalion"—General Dagworthy's Answer to whom I wrote, I have not recd. other Gentlemen have answered my Inquiries in much the same Terms as expressed in General Rodney's Letter, however you may be assured I shall keep a watchful Eye over that Quarter & shall lay the Resolution of Congress relative thereto before the General Assembly this week—I wish & I am persuaded that it is the Intention of the Honourable Body where You preside, that partial representation shou'd not be considered as sufficient to found publick Measures upon—I think I may say with truth that the Executive as well as Representative Bodies of this State, have on every occasion acted upon & manifested a Disposition to persevere in support of every publick Measure recommended to them & through them or their Delegates in Congress, that information which may best be depended upon, may be expected to come-for if Individuals in or out of a State undertake this work, it is to be suspected, till well Authenticated—I hope you will pardon the frankness in which I express myself as I think it a Duty I owe to you as well as to the publick—Since your Committee appointed to confer with me on the calling out of the Militia were here I have had a meeting of the several Field Officers of this County & forced the Plan for calling the Militia forth, in a manner in which they think they can effect it—I directed them to proceed & view the Ground most proper for the Encampment & they reported a place as fitting, within less than Six Miles of Chester. They also sent my Orders to the commanding Officers of the Militia in Kent & Sussex Counties in the most explicit & expressing Terms, to send forth the Quota fixed for them—A Report prevails, the truth of which I cannot avouch, that some Parties of men from the Enemies Ships of War in Delaware Bay have been on shore to plunder—I have written to General Rodney, in whose District it is said to have happened, to post such Number of Guards on the shore, as to intercept them in some of the like attempts as I am persuaded a few spirited & successful Attacks made upon them, wou'd have an happy effect, & prevent their Depredations in future but if this shall be found necessary it may prevent part, if not all the Quota of Militia from that Quarter—however if the publick prints inform us truly of the Enemies Troops being about to retire from Brunswick to Staton Island, the Congress may be of opinion that our Militia may be more properly employed in lining our Shores & attacking the Enemy on every

appearance of them, but of this I have not given the least hint here till I hear from you, & in the mean time I am with the greatest Respect & Esteem

Sir
Your most obedt. hum Serv.

JNO. McKINLY.

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## JOHN McKINLY TO PRESIDENT OF CONGRESS

Wilmington 9th May 1777

Sir

Of the 1500 required by the Honble. Congress from this State for the Encampment by them proposed—I have ordered 550 from New Castle County, as many from Kent & the remainder from Sussex Counties—The Field Officers appointed for that purpose in New Castle County, who have since been amongst the People, assure me that they have no doubt in raising the Quota thereof—I have the like assurance from a Gentleman appointed a Field Officer for the same purpose in Kent County, who was present at a meeting of the Officers there, but whether a Party of the Enemy being on Shore & Plundering in that County, as mentioned in my last, & since confirmed & the orders I have thereupon given to General Rodney to place Guards so as to intercept them in the like attempts, will prevent any of those ordered from thence, for the Encampment, I know not-neither have I heard from Sussex County whether they are likely to raise their Quota—I have given such Orders for their marching that they are all to be at the place of Encampment by Thursday next but they will immediately want Tents, Camp Equipage & sundry Accoutrements, which General Mifflin here by appointment of Congress promised to furnish them with, to whom therefore I have now written for that purpose & I hope there will be no disappointment: they will likewise want pay & immediate Subsistance—Towards pay be pleased to give an Order on the Commissioner of the Continental Loan Office of this State for Ten Thousand Dollars or what you may think proper, also to direct how they are to be im-medi ately supplyed with Provisions & accommodated with wagons &c as any neglct must prove prejudicial—I must beg your Answer as speedily as possible & am with with the greatest Esteem & Regard

Sir
Your most obedt. hum Servt.

JNO. McKINLY

To

The Honourable John Hancock Esqr.
President of Congress
Philadelphia

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## JOHN M'KINLY TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Wilmington the 12th of May, 1777.

Sir,

Yours of the 8th inst. I rec'd—As the battalion from this Co. will, I imagine be complete & as I flatter myself that from your country will be nearly so, I think a Gen. officer necessary to have the command, even should it happen that none should come from Sussex—I hope therefore, It will not be inconvenient for you to take that command to which I now appoint you—As I understood from Col. Collins you had appointed Tuesday next to parade & march the Quota from your Co. I have ordered those of this Co. accordingly so that I expect the whole will be at the place of encampm't near Naaman's Creek next Thursday eveg. which is very convenient & pleasantly situated & where I have ordered the Quarter-Master & Commissary here to leave the tents Camp Equipage &c which Gen. Mifflin promised should be furnished in readiness to accommodate the whole nor shall any thing in my power be wanting to make the service as agreeable as possible. The officers can receive their commissions when they come here—I rec'd the list you enclosed to me of the same & rank of those you have appointed for the 1st Division, but as the Subalterns are from different Companies, I should know the names of their respective Captains as also the dates of their former Commissions, or times when elected, as they are to be commissioned as officers of the Militia & not for this particular service only. I think it would be impracticable for the men to draw Rations on their march, as they have not Kettles &c. to cook with. I fully approve of the method, I am told was recommended to the officers of your Co. for each man to carry provisions of his own for 3 days, but if nevertheless any should be unprovided that way you must do the best you can. The Gen. Assembly at this session have passed an act fixing the Tavern rates for Soldiers at 15 cents a meal & nothing for lodgins &c. You had better advance the pay for what is necessary & allowable on their march here & you shall be reimbursed. I hope the officers will set a good example & encourage their men to behave soberly & discreetly & to submit with becoming fortitude & manliness to those inconveniences that must be expected—a supplement has passed to the Militia law making all the fines for not enrolling or not attending on Muster days &c. just double to what they were, also that those who do not enroll are to pay an equivalent for every time the Militia are called forth into service. I hope to see you & those under your command in Health, Spirits & good Order, at the time appointed & that their appearance & behavior will do honor to themselves & this state—

I am with best regard,
Sir,
Your very humble servant,

JNO. McKINLY

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## JOHN McKINLY TO PRESIDENT OF CONGRESS

Wilmington 23rd June 1777

Sir

I recd. your favour of the 13th Instant together with the Resolution of Congress therewith sent of the 10th Inst. earnestly recommending "to take Measures to call forth into actual Service 1500 of the Militia as soon as possible & to order them to rendezvous at or near Wilmington or Chester" in compliance wherewith I immediately sent Order to the commanding Officers of the Militia throughout this State to raise the Quota to them severally specified (making up the whole Number required & having a due regard to their Situation & Circumstances) & to march them forthwith to this place, as the Tents which were lately sent for their proposed Encampment, near Naaman's Creek between this & Chester, had a few Days before been taken away by order of the Quarter Master General for the use of the Continental Army—In consequence of my Orders those who were nearest & ordered to furnish the largest proportions have been here some Days & the others are daily arriving—As it is necessary that they should be regularly paid, & some Expenses having accrued when lately called out on your orders, & as there is at present no publick money belonging to this State for which I can draw for that purpose, I must beg that you wou'd apply to Congress for a Draught on the Continental Loan Office of this State for Ten Thousand Dollars which shall be frugally applied a faithfully accounted for—I wou'd however make free to mention to you the exposed Situation of this small State on a Coast of about 150 miles in extent, along which are a great many large Marshes & Meadows, well stocked with Cattle, accessible to Parties which might readily be landed from the Enemies Shipping, which are continually in Motion alongst that Coast, & therefore render it necessary to have a very considerable Number of the Militia constantly placed as Guards, so as to prevent any Depredations; it is also certain that our fencible men are exceedingly thined from the great Numbers that have entered into the Land & Sea Service of the United States, insomuch that scarce any remain but a few Tradesmen in the Towns & the Farmers & their Sons in the Country, & many of these last have likewise entered into the Service of the American States; therefore several of the Militia who are now on Duty here have left their Meadows in part mowed & almost the whole of our Meadows, in which this County in particular very much abound, are ready for mowing, yet this most necessary Business must chiefly be postponed till the Militia be discharged, as there are scarcely any Labourers to be hired, neither any indented Servants & exceeding few Negroes the Rye is also nearly ripe & the wheat Harvest will soon follow these things I mention in hopes, that shou'd it be true as reported, that the Enemy so far from advancing farther than Somerset Court House are returning from thence, that for the Reasons afore assigned, I may receive orders to pay & discharge the Militia for the present, with a repetition of the orders, they have so frequently received of holding themselves in constant readiness to march at a moments warning and I flatter myself when there is a real necessity that it will appear that the generally of the People in this State are so zealous in the great Cause of their County that no private concern will prevent them from giving their personal Assistance, tho' I fear no good can arise from keeping them now on Duty here, when they are informed that the Enemy keep at such a distance & that even the Militia of Philadelphia have not marched as yet & that it still remained doubtfull whether they will be required so to do;

especially as their Affairs particularly the Harvest in which the publick is so much concerned, is likely to suffer greatly by their absence. Pray excuse this freedom of mine which I can truly say is only occasioned by my solicitude for the publick Welfare & be pleased to favour me with an Answer as soon as possible & thereby oblige him who with the greatest Esteem & Regard has the honour to be

Sir
Yr. most obedt. hum Servt.

JNO. McKINLY

To the Honourable John Hancock Esq.
President of Congress.

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## JOHN McKINLY TO PRESIDENT OF CONGRESS.

Wilmington 15th July 1777

Sir

I recd. the Resolution of Congress of the 3d. Instant respecting the County of Sussex in this State, together with Copies of an Address from Messrs-Hall, Fisher, Perry & Clowes of that County to you as President of Congress, of a Letter from Brigadr. Dagworthy to Collo. Hall, of a Letter of a Robert Done to Brigadr. Dagworthy, & of a Deposition of Solomon Fruit taken before Mr. Justice Selby, transmitted to me by Mr. Houston your Depy. Secretary——As to the Requisitions made by Congress you may be assured that I shall on my part endeavor to comply with them as far as my remaining Authority within the County of Sussex will admit off—it gives me pain to find that the Honble. Body where you preside should be so much troubled with the People of that part of this State, but they must expect an Increase of it so long as Encouragement is given to a few Individuals to take upon them to make partial Representations—The first Information transmitted to me of the passing counterfeit Continental Currency, by Lofland the late Sheriff of Sussex, was in a letter from Collo. Hall, dated the 24th Ulto delivered the 27th by the Major Neill who waited upon you with the Originals of the Copies above; the next was in a Letter from Brigadr. Dagworthy, dated the 25th & deliver'd on the 28th, which being compared with the Dates of their Letters & laidc before Congress it will appear that they made this a Subject of complaint, at least with respect to me, before the cause existed—neither of the Gentlemen transmitted any Affidavit or written Testimony to found a Proclamation upon, tho' a Copy of One was carried by the same Messenger to You, so that it was several Days after before I met with the Person whose Oath I took for that purpose. When Major Neill called upon me with Collo Hall's Letter, I made much Inquiry as to the State of that County, but received very general & unsatisfactory Answers, yet I find that Gentleman referred to in the Copy No. 2 subscribed by Messrs. Hall &c as "well acquainted with the state of the County, & capable of giving a Detail of Matters there." if so he carefully concealed them from me—As to the Intercourse carried on between some of the Inhabitants & the Enemy on Board the British Ships of War, I have repeatedly ordered the placing of Guards from the Militia to

detect & prevent it & tho Brigadr. Dagworthy has the Command of three Battalions, I cannot learn that he has even attempted it on a small Neck of Land of about Three Miles by two & less in extent, in his own Neighborhood, on the Northside of Indian River, where it is said there is much of this Business going on—What the Strength of his Brigade is I cannot learn from him, tho he has my orders to make Returns as early as March last which have been often repeated since—This Gentleman is also in the Commission of the Peace, yet he ventures to charge the Officers of the State generally with disaffection & neglect—his Infirmities alone can apologize for the Insult—but such are the Instruments I am obliged to use, truly not of my creating however I have the satisfaction of saying otherwise of Brigadr. Rodney in the next County of Kent, as that Gentleman by his Vigilance & due Attention to Duty, has seized three Persons, Traders with the Enemy from Bombay Hook, who are in close Custody & he has information of others for whom his People are in pursuit—As to the Report of the Commissioners sent by me in May last into the County of Sussex, it was in general Terms, without fixing Charge on any Individuals—I must own it appeared to me unsatisfactory, as those Gentlemen were ordered to make diligent Inquiry after & discover the Persons, yet instead of so doing they went into the Town of Lewes, & there the Inquiry was made & this induced me to refer it to the House of Assembly then sitting, where many Members were from the County, & it appears by the Members of that House, that the Business was taken up in a Committee of the whole, but not further Directions were sent to me thereon—as I form no part of the Legislature I shall not undertake to give a detail of the proceedings there—it is to be presumed they can account for their Conduct, tho' one of their Members who signed the Representation No. 2 has undertaken to arraign it—I am sorry to be thus obliged to enter into this minute Account of Persons & Things but the extraordinary Contents of your Copies must apologize for it. I hope that no such Occasion will occur again—I must beg the favour of you to give me notice when Collo. Richardson with his Battalion may be in Sussex County, as I shall be under the necessity of ordering the Militia required by Congress "to join and cooperate with him" from the other Counties of this State; and I would also wish to know how far these Forces when united within the State are to be considered to act independent of any Authority, or that of Brigadr. Rodney in whose Neighborhood or District they may be & to whom I have intrusted a part of this Business—the reason for my inquiring is the Power given to Coll. Richardson by the Resolution, & the detachment of the Militia who are to join him being only a Major's Command—I am rather in a critical Situation which must apoligize for the trouble I give you, but from your well known goodness & attention to publick Business, I am convinced you will cheerfully undertake it—I am with the greatest Respect & Esteem.

Sir

Yr. most obedt. & very hum Servt.

JNO. McKINLY

P. S. I beg leave to mention John Evans Esqr. a Member of the Executive Council of the State of Pennsylvania, as one acquainted with the Disposition of the People of Sussex County in general, & the Character & Conduct of Individuals—this Gentleman together with Brigadr. Rodney were sent by the House Assembly of

this State the last year, to inquire into cause of the Disturbances there when Congress ordered Collo. Miles Battalion down—if you or any Member of your Hon'ble. Body desire to be informed further I know no Person on whose Information they can put a greater dependence—

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## JOHN McKINLY TO CAESAR RODNEY

Wilmington 27th July 1777.

Dear Sir:

I recd. this Evening your Favour of the 26th Inst. by Capt. Manlove which afforded me the greatest Satisfaction to find that so many of those base & sordid wretches who hold an Intercourse with our Enemies, & of their Adherents who were so daringly wicked as to presume to rescue them in the way they proposed, have been apprehended & secured, in such a manner as discovers so much zeal & courage & such prudent conduct, as to reflect the highest honour on the Gentlemen concerned, & that those shou'd be of your County & under your command, enhances the pleasure. A little after the above mentioned I recd. yours of the 23d. & Collo. Collins of the 24th. instant by William White together with a few Lines from Collo. Patterson concerning the Arms wanted but unluckily Collo. Patterson has neglected to particularize how many Arms he has belonging to your County, or in what Order they are—I am forced therefore to write him & waite for that Information before I know what Arms to send you—for as I am informed you have no Person with you who can repair Arms, it is in vain to send any but what are in good order; I shall therefore keep those that want repair & have them put in order as fast as possible & altho' we have very few Publick Arms belonging to this County, & know not what Hour we shall stand in need of them, yet I look upon the Businees you are engaged in of such importance to the Credit of the State that I shall write as soon as possible to Congress for a Supply of some, altho' I was lately refused by the Board of War to whom I apply'd to purchase 500 Stand for this State, and it will be with much pleasure that I shall mention to that Honble. Body these Proceedings of yours & the Militia under your command, as I had ventured to write to them lately some opinions of mine concerning both which are now proved to be right—I have great hopes that this diligence & success of yours will be productive of the best Effects—as likewise the Attention given to this Business by the Chief Justice—You may both firmly rely on my hearty support as I have no doubt but you will perseveringly go on as you have begun firmly & vigorously yet with prudence & discretion—I shou'd be heartily glad for many Reasons you cou'd reduce those internal Enemies to a due Obedience to the Laws & Constitution, with the force of the Militia of your own County—but shou'd you perceive any necessity for the Assistance of the Militia of this County, let me know & I shall order as many of them as may be needful even before the Relief which you mention is necessary—I am well assured they will readily & cheerfully go at any time when ordered—The Commissary informs me that the Salted Beef & Pork he

has will not do, being somewhat spoiled with keeping, so that you must purchase fresh Meat as you want, which I am persuaded you will take care to do on the best terms—You may be plentifully supplied with Bread when you require it—I much approve of your keeping up the Guard in your Place whilst any appearance of an Insurrection seems to require it—I am with much Esteem & Regard—Sir

Yr. very hum Servt.

JNO. McKINLY

I intend writing you a
few lines by Mr. White.

To Brig. Genl. Caesar Rodney.

## JOHN McKINLY TO PRESIDENT OF CONGRESS.

Wilmington 28th July 1777

Sir—

I last Evening recd. a Letter from Brigadr. General Rodney of Kent County informing that a Party of the Militia of that County joined with some officers of the Delaware Battalion who were recruiting there, hearing a few Nights ago that a Number of People were met for the purpose of trafficking with the Crews of the Enemies Shiping, at a place in the upper End of Sussex County noted of late for Business of that sort, proceeded to the place & there found between Twenty & Thirty Persons all of whom they apprehended & took to Dover together with two Carts they had with them loaded with Sheep, Poultry, Fruit &c where they confined them in Goal, & they have since been examined by the chief Justice when the innocence of some of them, as well as the Guilt of several others has been made appear, who are not yet taken, but most of whom I am in hopes will soon be properly secured—The Militia having got from those taken the Signal for bringing the men of War's Boats on Shore, were proceeding next Evening with a Strong Party to the usual place in order to decoy them, but being informed on their way that a Number of People were assembling & arming in Sussex County, to go to Dover to release the Prisoners, caused them to change their Rout, & they accordingly fell in with about Thirty who were thus assembled, Ten of whom they took with several Guns Horses & a parcel of Musket Balls just cast, these they carried to Dover & confined, but the others escaped—the General likewise informs me that the Militia behaved with much prudence as well as bravery as they apprehended, carried with them, & delivered over to the civil Authority their Prisoners without doing the least personal Injury to any, as the Prisoners themselves acknowledged —he likewise writes me that he has since had notice of several Parties assembling in Sussex County with intention as they say to go to Dover to rescue their Brethern which has occasioned his keeping a strong Guard in that Town—He also informs me that in pursuance of my orders he has issued his for raising the Militia to join Colo. Richardson but thinks it will not be in his power to arm them, as the few publick Arms remaining in that County are put into the hands of the several Guards which are placed for their own immediate security & I cannot supply him with such from hence without striping this county almost entirely of such Arms, & we know not

what hour we may want them here—It is certain that this State suffered a very great Loss of Arms toward the End of the last Campaign which we have never been able to make up since, as we have none in the State who manufacture them & some Attempts to procure them elsewhere have proved unsuccessful, & amongst others an Application to the Board of War in May last for 500 Stand, which I am empowered to purchase could however a less Number be spared, I would cheerfully & thankfully pay for them & they would be of very great publick Advantage.

I am Sir with greatest Esteem & Regared

Yr. most obedt. Hum Serv

JNO. McKINLY

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## JOHN McKINLY TO PRESIDENT OF CONGRESS.

Wilmington 2d August 1777

Sir

I rec'd yesterday by Express your Favour of the 31st Ulto. enclosing the Resolution of the Honourable Body where you preside of the same Date respecting the calling out of the Militia—I also recd. the Resolution of the 30th Ulto. which respects the removal of Horses Cattle &c into the interior parts of the County transmitted to me by Mr. Vandyke, but General Rodney, having given me the earliest notice of the Appearance of the Enemy's Fleet in the offing & that they seemed to stand as if they intended to come into our Capes, the necessity of those Measures recommended by Congress appeared to me so evident that before my receival of either of those Resolutions I had issued & sent by Express to the several Commanding Officers of the Militia throughout this State, orders for the removal of Stock Provisions &c likewise to fix guards of the Militia at such places & in such Numbers, as the Movements of the Enemy's vessells & their Numbers, shou'd render needfull; also that the whole were to hold themselves in constant readiness to march, at a moments warning, completely fitted to oppose the Enemy with effect when & where they shou'd be thereunto required; & moreover to secure all Boats & Watercraft whatsoever in such manner as to prevent any Intelligence being given to, or Intercourse with, the Enemy's vessels, also to place Guards at such Passes as shou'd seem needful for the purpose of Examining Travellers; which Orders as far as I have seen & heard around me here were readily & punctually obeyed—By a letter I have recd. from General Rodney written yesterday at Noon am informed that the Guards he had placed agreeable to my Orders, along the Coast "say nothing has appeared in the Bay since except two Frigates, & one Tender which they suppose to be some of those seen at times all Summer"—"& that he had heard by Travellers from Lewis that the Fleet was not to be seen on Thursday" he also desires my Orders with respect to the 200 Militia which in pursuance of the Requisition of Congress I had directed him to have in readiness to join Collo. Richardson, who he writes me is encamped at John Clowes' in Sussex—but those Orders I know not how to issue until I am favoured with Your Answer to mine of the 15th & repeated in that of the 24th Ulto. addressed to you—& as I had written in full to Mr. Van-

dyke, the Embarrassment & reasons which induced such Inquiry, he informed me in his Letter of the 29th Ulto. that "a Motion was made the Day before to refer it to the Board of War & that the Resolution on their Report he wou'd transmit by first Opportunity" which I therefore wait for—& am with greatest Esteem & Regard

Sir

Your most obedt. hum Servt.

JNO McKINLY

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## JOHN M'KINLY TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Wilmington Aug. 23, 1777

Sir,

I have rec'd certain advice that the enemy's fleet, consisting of between 2 & 300 Sail, which lately went into chesapeake Bay, were seen yesterday's afternoon off the mouth of Elk & Sasafras rivers & by their movements seemed as if they intended for the latter, where it is Supposed, they intend to make a descent, in order to possess themselves of the Peninsula, between Chesapeake & Delaware bays, which we ought to endeavor to prevent by all the means in our power, as we are very deeply interested & therefore should give Every assistance we can to our brethern in Maryland & that as speedily as possible, to Enable them to make a proper opposition, until the continental forces can arrive. You are therefore to array the militia under your command as speedily as possible & have them well provided with Arms, Accoutrements, & Ammunition, & as much provisions as they can. You know you have a right by law to impress, waggons & Horses. I shall order you bread & as much other provisions as needful as soon as possible—but should any be wanting, you must procure & I shall pay for it. You are to march immediately with the militia arrayed & provided as above, to such places as may be most necessary to annoy the Enemy & prevent them from effecting their purpose of plundering the inhabitants & possessing themselves of any part of the aforesaid peninsula—but in a particular manner take care that they do not cut off your Communication with the upper part of this State & by a timorous removal prevent their obtaining any cattle, or provisions of any kind, neither Carts Horses or waggons. You are also to take special care that no arms or ammunition fall into their hands—I shall from time to time Endeavor to furnish you with such advice orders & other things as may seem necessary. Pray exert yourself, & incite the men under your command, to show themselves deserving of Freedom & Liberty—now is the time for Every Exertion beoming Freemen. The credit of the State,—our own Safety —& the Happiness of present & future ages loudly demand it. Burgoyne has met with a fortunate check—2000 Militian of Conn, under a General Stark, has totally defeated one of his parties of 1500, where of they killed about 200 & took

about 700 Prisoners, among whom was their commanding officer a Col Burr, four brass field pieces, all their baggage &c—the above certified by Genl Schuyler & published by Congress—so that if we do our duty here, I believe there is no danger from that quarter the militia there behaving nobly—I am with Esteem & Regard

Yr very humble Servt

JNO: McKINLY

Pray forward by Express the letter herewith sent to Genl Dagworthy

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## JOHN McKINLY TO PRESIDENT OF CONGRESS.

Wilmington 25th Augt. 1777

Sir

I recd your Favour of the 23d Instant enclosing the Resolutions of the Honble. Congress of the Day preceeding, but as I had the earliest notice of the Movements of the Enemy's Fleet, Their laying opposite to the Mouths of Elk & Sassafras Rivers, & being of Opinion that if they made a Discent on the Eastern Shore of Chesepeak, that it wou'd be at or near the latter of those Rivers, in order to possess themselves of the Peninsula, between the Bays of Chesepeak & Delaware, as the Neck between the Head of Sassafras & Aqopuiniminck Creek in this County is very narrow, & the Lands adjacent to the Southward, namely of the Counties of Kent, Queen Anns & Tablot in the State of Maryland, & of Kent County in this State, are very fertile & well cultivated, producing vast Quantities of Grain & some of them well stocked with Cattle, & as many of the Inhabitants farther Southward are reputed to be disaffected to the present Measures of the United States—these Considerations induced me previous to the Rect. of your Letter to issue Orders, & forward them to the several Commanding officers of the Militia throughout this State to array the whole Militia under their respective Commands, & for those of New Castle & Kent Counties to march as speedily as possible & rendezvous at a place called Middletown, in this County, within a few miles of the Heads of Sassafras & Bohemia Rivers—& for those of Sussex County to remain within the same to prevent any Insurections therein or Depredations from the Crews of the Enemys Shipping on their Coast —& as I observe that the Resolves of Congress were made on the 22d Instant before it was known that the Enemy had moved to the Eastern Shore of Chesepeak. I hope I shall be excused in not countermanding those Orders, in respect to the place of Rendezvous, & in exceeding the Number of Militia required until the others can at least assemble —I have recd. authentic Intelligence that the Fleet consists of upward of 200 Sails, one half were in Elk River, the remainder save a few Vessells were opposite the upper side of Sassafras River last Evening—& appeared as if they would land on the South Side of Elk River—

I wou'd begg leave to refer to several Letters of mine to Congress, as well as to the Board of War, to shew what pains I took to prevent any misunderstanding

that might arise, or any bad Consequences that might ensue, from the Powers with which Collo Richardson might suppose himself invested, by the Resolution of Congress; & altho' I had many Reasons to wish General Rodney might have the Chief Command of the Military Force ordered into Sussex County, yet I wou'd not attempt to give him that Command until I had the full consent of the Board of War for so doing, Whereupon I appointed General Rodney accordingly, & wrote both to him & Colo. Richardson advising them thereof Collo. Richardson however writes me in Answer "that he will not give up the command to any Militia Officer on Earth, however high his Character, Abilities or Station unless expressly ordered by Congress so to do"—& General Rodney assures me "that neither the Foot Militia nor Horse cou'd have been drawn forth, but from an Expectation that he was to have the command" however that Affair may at present remain, as I have appointed General Rodney to the command of the Militia now embodied by order of Congresss—Mr. Chief Justice Killen writes me that he intends to hold a Court of Oyer & Terminer in Sussex County the 8th Day of next Month, & altho' he has ever been a zealous Friend to the Liberties of his Country, yet he seems to resent very much, as he expresses himself, "that Collo. Richardson shou'd drag People by military violence out of this to any other State, for either real or pretended Offenses against the Government, as if this State had provided no Laws for it's own preservation; or if it had, that there were no Persons appointed who wou'd carry them into Execution" these things I thought it my Duty to inform Congress of that they may do therein as to them may seem proper I have the pleasure to assure you that every Person enrolled in this Place without exception & as far as I can learn throughout this County have cheerfully turned out on this ocassion, & I flatter myself it will be nearly the same in Kent County—I am with greatest Esteem

Sir

Your most obedt hum Serv

JNO. McKINLY

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## JOHN M'KINLY TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Wilmington Septr 9 1777.

Sir

Yesterday morning, the British Army made a general movement from the place of their Encampment on the Iron hill, proceeding northward thro' Mill creek Hundred. Our Army at that time expecting they would take their rout thro' this place, over Brandywine Bridge entrenched themselves very well on the Eastern bank of Red Clay creek, about a mile westward from Newport, where they had moved the day before & waited their approach in the highest spirits imaginable; but the enemy has for the present given them the slip, having moved farther north to pass Brandywine, at a Place called Chad's Ford, about 9 or 10 miles above this place, but were pursued, or rather attempted to be outmarched, head & interrupted, in their rout by the whole Continental Troops under Genl Washington who

set off for that purpose from their lines at four o'clock this morng accompanied by his excellency, the commander in chief, & the other general officers, & hope they will accomplish their intention, & that victory will be ours. The Enemy, I suppose by way of decoy, & to amuse our Troops from pursuits, have left a body of their's on a high hill, about 3 miles west of Newport, who shew themselves very freely both last Eveng & this day on the skirt of a piece of Woods. Various opinions are Entertained concerning their numbers, some alledging them to be only 150 others vastly more—Nothing would please me more, than that they would be made prisoners by the militia of this state, & I have no doubt had the numbers, which first marched to the Head of Elk of the first & 2nd Battalions of this County, been now under arms, they could Easily have accomplished that desirable service by to morrow morng; but they are dispersed, taking care of their Effects which lay directly in the Rout which it was supposed the Enemy w'd take, so that I have no hopes from them at present, unless you could bring immediately, what Troops you mentioned in your last, to have under your command at your present station, to join with such as Could be readily convened here of the 1st & 2nd Battalions, & then I think there would be no danger of succeeding. There are two Brigades of Militia from the state of Pennsylvania, under the command of Brigadiers Potter & Irvine now lying here—But they must wait the command of Genl Washington, who it is possible may order them forward—As the fleet of the enemy is sailed & no danger from them or their army at present in the neighbourhood where you are; & Genl Washington has now left this state, perhaps it w'd be very agreeable to your officers & men, to perform this piece of service which would redound so much to their own Honor, & the credit of the state—I have the Cartridges you wrote for, but the waggons are so much engaged with the movements of our Army, that I could not procure any to forward them to you—No news from the Northward—My best respects to all friends, particularly your privateer, Mr. Dickenson—I am with best esteem & regard,

Yours Sincerely

JOHN McKINLY

Should you think proper to come, the
sooner the better

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## JOHN M'KINLY TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Wilmington Septr 10. 1777

Sir

I wrote you yesterday by Express, informing of the movements of the Enemy & that a party remained behind which I was desirous should be made Prisoners by the Militia of this state under your command, since which I have had authentic intelligence, that the sd party have moved on after the main body. Our Army is on the East side of Chad's Ford, in a strong post, & so have baulked Genl How who tho't to have stolen a march & passed that ford, before Genl Washington could have

reached it. Genl. How's army Encamped about 5 miles west of the aforesaid Ford last night—No news this morng but what the bearer can inform you. It is generally tho't that How must alter his rout, & perhaps endeavor to get into the great road from Lancaster to Philada. But I hope our army will still keep ahead of them. Our Army are in the Highest spirits & seem most Eager for an attack, & I am well persuaded that if How does not make one, Genl Washington will. One Jacob Hollingsworth, a credible person saw the whole English Fleet evening before last off Spesuti Island, before the mouth of Susquehanah river—I have not seen the commissary of purchases since I recd yours, but I have no doubt of getting Mr Haughey's appointment confirmed by him—there is no possibility of procurring a team, to send you the cartridges at present—but hope soon to get one—As I expect His Excellency Genl Washington has sent you orders by this conveyance, I shall not interfere—My respects to Mr. Dickenson &c—

I am with real regard, Dr Sir,

Your very humble servt

JNO McKINLY

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## JOHN McKINLY TO HON. HENRY LAURENS.

Philada. 20th Augt. 1778

Sir

Altho' I wou'd willingly avoid giving you or the Honourable Body where you preside any trouble with my Affairs, when so much engaged with those of a more publick nature, yet my Circumstances oblige me to crave your attention to my Case during the present Dispute between Britain & American having filled several Offices of publick Trust in the Delaware State, I was lastly elected by an almost unanimous Vote to be President & Commander in Chief of the same, & as I constantly Discharged to the utmost of my Power & Abilities the Duties of the several stations with the greatest Ability, Punctuallity & Efficacy, several Circumstance concurred to render my staying at Wilmington, necessary to the publick whilst the Enemy were moving toward Philada., & being more solicitous to perform my Duty, than for my own personal Safety, I was unexpectedly made a Prisoner in my own House there on the Night succeeding the 12th Day of September last, by the 71st British Regiment, said to consist at that time of 900 Men, who were detached to take possession of that place for the accommodation of such of their Army as were wounded the Day preceeding, at the Battle of Brandywine—I sustained at this time some heavy losses of private property; & have every since remained a Prisoner & suffered much—I wou'd beg leave further to mention that in consequence of an application made to General Clinton, he was pleased to enlarge me, on the 5th Instant, on my Parole for one month, in order to effect an Exchange for Wm. Franklin Esqr. late Governor of the State of New Jersey, whom he had some time before positively refused to exchange for General Thompson, that the said General Franklin being no longer formidable to the good People of that State—those who have the management of

publick Affairs there, had acceded to the proposed Exchange for General Thompson —that the Exchange of the said Governor for me cannot be injurious to that State— that the Exchange for me seems more agreeable to the Cartel settled for exchanging Prisoners—that there is no other Person in the civil Line, & but little probability of getting any beside, to exchange for me, so that failing herein I have no prospect of being released; & his bad State of Health still renders the same more precarious —that one half of the Month allowed me is already elapsed, so that much longer delay will operate as a refusal—that my Captivity has been exceedingly prejudicial to me & it's continuance must prove extremely so—I do therefore earnestly request that you wou'd be pleased to submit the foregoing to Congress, as speedily as may be, in order that I may obtain from them the the necessary relief—I have the honour to be with great esteem & respect

Sir
Your most obedt. hum Servt.

JNO. McKINLY

To the Honble. Henry Laurens Esqr.

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## JOHN McKINLY TO HON. HENRY LAURENS.

Philadelphia 11th Septr. 1778

Sir

As the Honorable Congress were pleased to postpone the Consideration of my Exchange, I went this Day three Weeks to see my Family at Wilmington of which happiness I have been long deprived, & was so unfortunate as to be taken immediately afterwards with the Gout, which has detained me until now from returning—And as my Parole will expire next Wednesday, when I have pledged my Word & Honour, shou'd I be unsuccessful in effecting the proposed Exchange, that I will surrender myself again a Prisoner at New York

Time therefore presses so hard that I must earnestly request that you wou'd be pleased to get the Consideration of that Affair reassumed as speedily as possible —Did Congress but fully know how constantly & zealously I have been employed, during the present Contest with Great Britain in supporting to the utmost of my Power the great Contest of American Liberty & Independence—as likewise the sad Reverse of Fortune I have since suffered, in which an affectionate Wife has consequently deeply partaken. I cannot doubt but that Honorable Body wou'd immediately proceed to take such Measures as wou'd forthwith restore me to my long lost Liberty—I have the honour to be with the greatest Esteem & Regard

Sir
Your most obedt. hum Serv

JNO McKINLY

The Honourable Henry Laurens Esqr.

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## THOMAS McKEAN TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Sir

Your favour of the 20th instant was delivered me by Captain Learmonth, who has received thirty six thousand dollars for the recruiting service in our State, which is to be paid into your hands and charged to the State—When this is expended, on your application more will be obtained. I hope every exertion will be made to fill our Battalion, as peace will in a great measure depend upon the numbers of our army and the time they take the field—Every State in the Union is sensible of this, and I rest assured we shall have in consequence the largest army next campaign we ever yet had, and that this circumstance will determine our Enemy to peace or war, as our success or the contrary in this measure may prove—

Our army has been almost starved and our Treasury empty; but both are again in a good way—Our resources are great if properly and timely called forth.

We have no news of Importance.—

Mrs. McKean joins me in presenting our best compliments to your Excellency and Miss Wilson. Please pay my respects to Mr. Dickinson and the Chief Justice when you see them.

I am, Sir, with great regard, Your Excellency's, most obedient humble servant

THOS. McKEAN

Philadelphia.
January 27th 1780.
His Excellency Caesar Rodney Esquire.

## THOMAS McKEAN TO CAESAR A. RODNEY

Philadelphia, Augt. 22d. 1883.

Dear Sir,

Your favor of the 22d last month, with a copy of the journal of the Congress at New-York in October 1765, printed in the Baltimore Register, came safe to hand., Not having heard of this publication, I had the proceedings of that Body (not the whole) printed here about 2 months ago, from a copy, I found in the 1st Vol. of "American Tracts" (contained in four volumes octavo) edited by L. Almon of London in 1767. Such an important transaction should not be unknown to the future historian.

I recollect what passed in Congress in the beginning of July 1776 respecting Independence; it was not as you have conceived, on Monday the 1st. of July the question was taken in the committee of the whole when the State of Pennsylvania (represented by seven Gentlemen then present) voted agst. it; all the other States voted in favor of it.

Whereupon, without delay I sent an Express (at my private expense) for your honored Uncle Ceasar Rodney Esquire, the remaining member for Delaware, whom I met at the State-house door, in his boots & spurs, as the members were assembling; after a friendly salutation (without a word on the business) we went into the Hall of Congress together, and found we were among the latest; proceedings

immediately commenced, and after a few minutes the great question was put; when the vote for Delaware was called, your uncle arose and said; "As I believe the vote of my constituents and of all sensible & honest men is in favor of Independence my own judgement concurs with them, I vote for Independence," or in words to the same effect, The state of Pennsylvania on the 4th of July (there being only five members present, Messrs. Dickinson & Morris, who had in the committee of the whole voted against Independence were absent) voted for it; three to two, Messrs. Willing & Humphries in the negative. Unanimity in the thirteen States, an all important point on so great an occasion, was thus obtained; the dissention of a single State might have produced very dangerous consequences.

Now that I am on this subject, I will tell you some truths, not generally known. In the printed public journal of Congress for 1776, vol. 2, it would appear that the declaration of Independence was signed on the 4th July by the members, whose names are there inserted, but the fact is not so, for no person signed it on that day nor for many days after, and among the names subscribed, one was agst it, Mr. Read, and seven were not in Congress on that day namely, Messrs. Morris, Rush, Clymer, Smith, Taylor, & Ross of Pennsylvania, and Mr. Thornton of New-Hampshire; nor were the six Gentlemen last named at this time members; the five for P. were appointed delegates by the Convention of that State on the 26th July, and Mr. Thornton entered Congress for the first time on the 4th of Novemr. following; where the names of Henry Wisner, of New York & Thomas McKean of Delaware are not printed as subscribers, tho' both were present & voted for Independence.

Here false colours are certainly hung out; there is calpability somewhere. What I can offer as an apology or explanation is; that on the 4th July 1776 the declaration of Independence was order to be ingrossed on parchment & then to be signed, and I have been told, that a resolve had passed a few days after and was entered on the secret journal, that no person should have a seat in congress, during that year until he should have signed the declaration in order (as I have been given to understand) to prevent traitors or spies from worming themselves amongst us, I was not in Congress after the 4th for some months, having marched with my Regiment of associates of this city, as Colonel, to support General Washington until a flying camp, of ten thousand men was completed. When the associators were discharged I returned to Philadelphia took my seat in Congress & then signed the declaration on parchment. Two days after I went to Newcastle, joined the Convention, for forming a constitution for the future of the State of Delaware having been elected a member for Newcastle County) which I wrote in a tavern without a book or any assistance.

You may rely on the accuracy of the foregoing relation. It is full time to print & publish the secret journal of Congress during the Revolutions.

I have thus answered your request, and trust it may reform errors, Accept, dear Sir, my best wishes for your happiness.

Thomas McKean

Caesar Augustus Rodney Esquire

Note See p. 1349, John Adams to C. A. Rodney.

## A. McLANE TO CAESAR A. RODNEY.

Wilmington 20 April 1818

Sir

I have a perfect recollection of the times that tried men's souls from the Assembling of the Congress 1774 till the British Acknowledged our Independence. Your Uncle Caesar Rodney, George Read and Thos. M'Kean Esqr. were first selected to represent the three Lower Counties An'xed to Pennsylvania then under the propriety Gov's. After the British Army at Boston Attacked the New Englanders near Lexington in April 1775 Congress recommended that the people of North America Should Arm, to repell the aggressions of the British Ministry and Parliament, At the same time Acknowledging the Sovernity of King George the third. Council of Safety was chosen with Executive powers to Coms. Volunteers &c. Committees of inspection and Observation was also chosen to support Congress and to enforce their recommendations. Under this sistem the Enemies of America were kept in fear and our revolution progressed. Your Uncle Cezar Rodney was Comsd. a Col. of a Regiment of Volunteers and I had the Honr. to be Comsd. his Adjutant &c. in the month of May 1776 I waited on Col. Rodney in Philadelphia at the Request of the Officers of the Regiment to inform him that they were no longer Satisfied to fight under the British Coulours, and prayed that he would Use his Influence in favour of a Declaration of Independence, on the 11th of June Coln. Rodney advised the Officers of the Regiments that Congress had appointed a Celect Committee of their Body to take into their consideration the propriety of Declaring the 13 United States Independent. this measure staggered many and it was the opinion of a Principal Merchant of Kent County that if the Kings Standard was Erected in Opposition to Independence that nine tenths of the people would Rally Round it and thus wrote to Mr. John Fisher a merchant of Philadelphia. At this time the line was Drawn between Whig and Tory. those opposed to Independence was Demonated Torys and many of the whigs treated them as Enemies. When the Question was first Agitated in the Committees a Considerable Majority was Opposed to the measure. the few whigs (and very few indeed), became Desperate Dreaded the Consequence of being Conquered and treated as Rebels. Attacked the Disaffected with Tar and Feathers, Rotten Eggs &c &c. and succeeded in silencing the Disafected and then filling these Committees with men Determined to be free. in the Last of June our Coln. Rodney paid us a visit at Dover and informed us that the 4 Day of July was fixed by Congress, to take the vote for Independence but that it was Doubtful whether it would be an unamious vote. on the 2d Day of July he left Dover for Phia. Ascorted by a few that preffered Death to Oppression he arrived in Phia. on the 4th at 10 A. m. he alighted from his Carrage at the State house and was met on the Steps by his colague Thos. M'Kean And Entered the Congress Room with him immediately, the Chairman of the Committee of the whole House had reported the Declaration of Independence And Hancock the president of Congress at the hour of 2 P. M. put the Question And Every State that was represented voated in favour of Independence. I felt a Great Interest in the Question and was happy to find that two out of three of the Delegates of Del'r. Cezer Rodney and Thos. M'Kean gave

their voice for Independence. But if Mr. Trumbold would paint the Faces of Many in Congress of that Day they would appear Different from what he makes them appear in his Pictures and Cezer Rodney would appear At his post as firm as Cezer

I am very Respectable Your humble

A. McLane

Cezer Rodney Esqr.

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## HENRY NEILL TO GOVERNOR RODNEY.

Lewes Town June 27th 1781

Sir

Your offering me the Command of this Regiment to be rais'd does me great honor and wou'd my health permit I wou'd except of it with chearfullness but the least fatigue has such an affect on me it wou'd render me incapable of Military duty. I shall do everything in my power to forward the expedition from this County. I am with respect your Excellencys

most obliged & hblt Servt.

HENRY NEILL

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## SAMUEL PATTERSON TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Christiana bridge Sept. 19, 1777

Sir,

Yours of the 17th came to hand by Express, note the contents, for answer have done all in my power to assemble the militia but to very little purpose. I have disposed of them, viz. one company made out of three, along the neck & down along the Delaware to Hamburgh, one company at Xteen under a subaltern about 15 men, to take it in rotation, & one in the Welsh Tract, to keep people from plundering one another. The Cattle is mostly all drove off from the riverside. This I shall attend to as to Col McDonough's Battalion, I think they will not move from their own district, without you should come up to this place. We are all open to be plundered down to the bottom of the State. All our rich have deserted us; What can be done when such is the case?

I am in hopes Genl Washington will assist us; Such I have ordered to be applied for. My officers never come near me nor men scarcely. The few I have will, if not assisted, will break off, as in fact they will be sacrificed if their numbers are known. I have the floor to lay on & that's almost all, as all this part has fled.

As to the news from Genl Howe, I hear it was true in part but was going to New York by land, & was interrupted & to what you say. We have no news here as our passage is blocked up. Genl Washington advancing to attack them. Last accts, they are yet near Shad's ford. 6 ships was of Xteen Creek, 1 brig with 12 Guns, run into Xteen Creek, lies a mile above the town. Some Cannon fired this morng—the cause have not heard.

I am your Excellencys Most obt & hbl
Servant

SAML PATTERSON

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## SAMUEL PATTERSON TO GOV. RODNEY.

Xteen Septr. 1, 1780—

Sir\

You have an accompt of a most disagreeable one, I said I never would send you such, but your and my feelings on so melancholly an accassion, duty prompted me to let you know, I believe it is too true, it is am well assurd. in the Maryland papers. it is gone up to congress, by General Gates, aid.

I could wish I had a doubt of its authenticity. Your Excellency will handle it as your good prudence directs you. Am Told few Escapd. death, in distress &c.

I am your Excellencys most obdt. Hble Servt.

SAML. PATTERSON

Governor Rodney Esqr.

Intelligence Recd this Evening Xteen August 31, 1780 by Collo. White from Georgia. on the first of the Engagement with the British troops they were worsted and we kept the field and the left one hundred and odd kil'd--being, the 16th August at Night. General Gates marchd. to Surprise General Cornwallis at Cambden, the Enemy also marchd. same night to surprise General Gates Each Armys discovered one another by the recounitring. Lay on their arms till day. Both armies, met within 8 miles of Cambden, when the whole engaged, wee drove the Enemy and took two field pieces, 900 of the Militia went of the field, when the enemy saw that, the rallied the enemy being much superior. then a most bloody ingagement came on with Bayonets. and our people in the confusion were surrounded. the Maryland line Cut all to pieces. General De Calb, seposd. kild Genl Smallwood Kild Genl Gist kild Collo Gunby kild. General Gates Safe. brot of by his aids with perswasion—said about 400 only Escapd besides the above Militia.

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## CHARLES POPE TO CAPTAIN THOMAS RODNEY.

Wilmington August 1st 1776

Dr Sir

Since I saw you in Newcastle, I have been treating with a Carpenter of this place, who engages to build and have ready for launching a Vessel by the Middle of October provided we procure three or four Workmen for him—At present he has but two, and says it will take six hands to build her in ten weeks:—The Dimensions agreed on are 54 feet Keel 20 feet Beam and 8 feet Hold. The Dimensions of the Brig Lexinton Commd by Capt. Barrey is 58 feet Keel—21 feet Beam—and 9 feet Hold—The Carpenters say her length will be a considerable advantage to her sailing—Several Labourers have been employed two or three Days in cutting the Timbers and Keel—the greatest Part of the Plank is now ready—and he fully expects indeed is determined to have her on the Stocks in three or four Days.

I would recommend it particularly—nay request it as a Favor of Mr. McGarmot to ride down to Lewis Town—Cedar and Broadkill Creeks and employ all the Hands he can—the more hands the better for us—she will be the sooner off the Stocks, and I am certain Hands may be got down there—I beg you may insist on Mr. McGarmots going down; as the Time is drawing on fast that requires our Presence in the English Channel—

I shall endeavor to get off from this Service in a few Weeks, and think there will be no great Difficulty in procuring a Discharge Was it not that I prefer the Sea to the Land Service, should continue a Soldier as long as there would be Occasion.—

Best Respect to the Family and remain.

Your Friend
and
humble Servant
CHARLES POPE

## CHARLES POPE TO GENERAL RODNEY.

Cross Roads Duck Creek March 17th. 1778

Genl.

Capt. Skillington just this moment Returned from the River Shore near to Listons high woods—he informs that yesterday about 30—or 40 mereens landed & took of some cattle &c. & Returned like wise that at eight oclock this morning the fleet consisting of about 35 Sail weighed & Stood Down the bay wind & at N. W. ¾ flood—a Sloop & the unfortunate Schooner Virtue Orphan Tacked & stood up the River I sent up to Listons woods this morning Mr. Lt. Quenault with three of Cap Cartey's light horse to observe the motion of the Vessels—with Orders to continue there with Causion untill tomorrow morning, shall send the Tradesmen & Cloaths leather &c of to morrow morning—Capt Skillington with the flag. Did not get on board the friggate—

I am Dear Genl yours
With due Respt

To Genl. Rodney

CHAS. POPE

## CHARLES POPE TO GENERAL RODNEY

Grog or Whiskey Town Apl. 14th 1778

Dear Genl.

It is with a Certainty I Can inform you that the Report of the Tories having a fort built is a truth for this Day myself with a party of about forty was within gun shot of their works—on our appearance upwards of one hundred sallied out, several shot was Exchanged—After taking a full view of their works & finding it proff against our small Number Forced the party to Retreat, We kill'd one of their party. Mr. Derough of Cross Roads was shot through the thigh.

as there is no provisions in the place have Ordered twenty four men to Do the Duty of the Night & the Rest to look out for Quarters with orders to attend tomorrow morning—pray Send us what Cartridges you can spare—likewise—Whiskey & provisions—without which I cannot Carry the fort, I have Wrote Genl. Smallwood on the Subject & Request his sending a light field piece.

I am with Due Respt. yrs to Command

CHAS. POPE

To Genl. Rodney
Dover

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## CHARLES POPE TO GENERAL RODNEY.

Grog Town Aprl. 16th. 78—

Dr Sir

In my last I informed you that for want of provisions I was to Order the Militia here Except twenty that was for Duty to Return to their Several homes or where else was convenient for getting provisions & Returning to Day—at the same time Expected a full Supply from you this morning, but am much Distressed to find only fifty wt. of meet & one bbl. of bread—for upperds of one hundred men.—if you mean to have the Militia kept to gether pray Send us a Supply amediatly otherways it will be out of my power to keep them longer than this night, by the next opportunity shall furnish you with the Riturns of our several Companies—& I hope a good acct of Colonl. Clowes & his party—I have ordered the Militia from Head of Chester to Join me at Marches Quarter within one mile & half of their fortress, at which place we shall be this Evening—if you have any arms to spare shall be glad you would furnish us with them as they are much wanted here—it will likewise be necessary that what ammunition you have can be prepared should be forward here.—pray corect the above as I am D—blly

Bothered—now on a line of march
I am yrs. as usual

CHAS. POPE

To Genl. Rodney
Dover

## CHARLES POPE TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Wilmington May 3rd 1778—

Dear Genl

Your favour of the 28th Inst. pr. Lieutenant Queenault is at hand I Expect to Receive the Cloth from Mr. Lattimore to Morrow. Have Ordered the Officers late in the Recruiting Service to Extrefis their Respective accounts against the Delaware State and shall Transmit them to you by the first Opportunity. I have been All most Troublesom to the General Respecting the Cartridges as their is none to spare in this Garrison, have Pressed the General to give me an Order for 13,000 that was taken in the Brig Simetre, but must Send to Nottingham for them I shall procure a waggon at the Expense of your State to take them Down to your Place. The troops belonging to this Division is very Healthy. I fear our Regt. Will suffer for Linen unless it can be procured for them Shortly as to other Clothes they do not want for. Lieut. Rhodes Informs me that you have been a tory Kitching. I am sorry to hear my Relation Stoke.ly was so lost to Virtue as to be one of that number but you cannot Expect anything Else whilst the Executive Power of your State is so Relax, and nothing but Publick Examples will put a stop to that Evil Practice of Trade. Popes Jack was Hanged on Wednesday last a debt due one third of your People but as it is not the Only instance in which the State may be be cald bad Paymaster have Reason to Judge, that shee would Prove a Bankrupt was shee to attempt to pay of their Creditors their Just Demands—or D——d Demmit Should you want hangmen send a line to me and you may have the Regiment as it is not likely we shall have much Else to do but to Subdue our Internal Enemies and we who have bled in this Contest I think it no disgrace to serve our Contry in any Publick Capasity. I have the pleasure to Transmit you a Copy of part of an Express which arived here yesterday from his Excellency Genl Washington to Genl. Smallwood. Glorious newes and not the least to be doubted. Pray send Lieut. Willson to Camp he being much Complained off and should he not Come in a short time matters may grow worse with him then he may Expect. I am Dear Genl. With due Respects yrs. to Command—

CHARLES POPE.

## CHARLES POPE TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Camp Middlebrook 15th May 1777.

Dr. Genl.

My not receiving any answer to my past letters, gives me reason to suspect they must been Troublesom to you, I do assure you they where not intended as such, as I have ever had the highest esteem for your person & character, I should been the most ungreatful Retch to Disturb that person I have so much Regard—notwithstanding I shall make free to Honour myself with directing this to you, & hope it may find you & Family in good health—as to news we have but little in this Quarter except the several alterations & movements, of the Army; the 3d, Virginia Regemts, that composed it, are added to the two other Briggades of that lines, the Delawr. Regmt. is Ordered to join the 2d. Maryland Briggade, (this is

not a disaggreeable order to them,) which will be complied with as soon as we take the field, the Jersey Briggade & the 3d & 9th Pensylvania Regemts, are Ordered to the Westward, who are to march by Regemts. to Wyomen; one of the Jersey Regemts Marched through Bonbrook yesterday we have certain inteligence that four british regemts, (report say. 4,000 Troops) have sailed from New York & bound to the southward, its Conjectured their aim is Charles Town.

Our Officers, in Camp are very hearty some of them talk of petitioning the assembly, whilst others say they scorn to beg & say the Members cannot be strangers to the extravagence of the times as well as the Depresiation of the Currency—they are undoubtedly alarming circumstances and early Distressing to the Officers of the Army, as five days pay of a subaltern will now only purchase a Dinner—& other necessaries of life are equally as extravagant, it is therefore impractible for those distitute of fortune to Continue as Officers any longer in the service unless supported by their County, I have for your information inclosed a return of our Regemt. which is far short of the Establishmt., his Excellency says he expects something is doing for the Compleating it, wether his expectations will be favoured with success or not must leave you to Determine, much has been said rispecting our absent officers not complying with his Excly proclimation, the Brigadr & officers comd Briggades are desired to report all such. the comt. of our brigade has complied with that part—Capt. Larmonth neglect of orders. still continue me in a very Idle Situation, having nothing to do but ride about & Visit the Army & view the County the former gives some amusement whilst the latter affords a delightful prospect which at this season is very beautiful, as my return to the Delawr. Depends on the movemt. of our field Officers & the arrival of Capt. Larmonth, its therefore uncertain when I shall have the pleasure of Seeing you, but expect, it the last of this Month, my Respects. to Miss Sally, and your Brothers family—

And believe me to be
With Due respt. yrs. to Commd

POPE

The Honbl.
Casar Rodney

## CHARLES POPE TO GENERAL RODNEY.

Cross Roads D. Creek July 8th 1778.

Dear Genl,

The bearer Mr Clark, who I had imployed to make hatts, for our regmt. Called on me this Morning for Money—which he says stands in much need of, to pay his workmen &c—I have recd about 100 hatts from him in aprl. last. he now informs me that he had 200 more ready—they are an article that the Regemt. stands in much need of at present but I cannot with propriety Call on Mr. Clark for any more until he is payed for those allready Recd as I am Convinced from his losses occasined by his moving out of the way of the Enimy, that he must stand in need of money more especially as he put of all other business in Order to Serve the Regemt. and as I have no publick money in my hands—have made free to

recommend him to you for yr. Direction in the matter and hope for the above reason you will give him all the redress in yr. power should have waited on you myself but am not so hearty as I could wish—

I am Dear Genl. yours with Due Respect

CHAS POPE.

## WM. POLK TO CAPTAIN JAREMIAH CANNON, CAPTAIN JOSEPH DAWSONS & OFFICERS.

Dear Sr—I am under the Disagreeable Necessity of Informing you and your officers that we who oppose and Independence are Libul to be put to Distress therefore as I have had the opportunity of Consulting A number of the officers in my Battalion and they Seem Determined to oppose them in their attempt therefore hope that you and all your spirited men in your Company may attend this Evening at Mr. Wm. Bradley Senr. in order to make the Best preperation as the Rest of the officers is to attend their in hopes of meeting you and Every other man who are Determined to oppose these Tiranical Pirates—and your Complyance with will much Oblige your Fth Humbl Svt.

Wm. POLK.

June ye 10th 1776
this by Mr. Conwill—

## GEORGE READ TO CAESAR RODNEY & THO. McKEAN.

"In the month of May 1776 Mr Read (Geo.) was among the multitude of his fellow citizens who witnessed the Attack made by the row gallies upon the Roebuck and Liverpool frigates off the mouth of Christiana Creek; the following letter contains some particulars of that affair;

Wilmington Friday May 10th 1776

Gentlemen,

The enclosed letter came to hand this evening, by the person employed to take the two hundred pounds of lead to Lewestown, sent by brigadier M'Kinly, upon the requisition of Colonel Moore, which you have seen.

The Committee of safety have thought it highly necessary that you should be acquainted with the situation of the magazine at Lewestown, to exert your influence for an immediate supply of powder and lead; which, I suppose, must be by land, as the Roebuck and Liverpool will probably continue as high up the river as Reedy Island; this morning they are in the bite below New Castle, and though the row-gallies have preceeded down, from the Christiana Creek's mouth about two hours ago, I am apprehensive the high wind now blowing will not permit thelr acting to advantage in that cove.

We have had warm cannonading between the ships and gallies these two

days past, all within our view. Great intrepidity was shown on the part of our people, who compelled the two ships to retire, not much to their credit; but it appeared to me the ships were afraid the gallies would get below them. Young Captain Houston led the van. As to other particulars, I must refer you to some of the very many spectators from your city, who will have returned before this time.

I suppose it will be thought that too much powder and shot have been expended by the gallies in these attacks, but I am well satisfied they have produced a very happy effect upon the multitudes of spectators on each side of the river; and in that part of the Colonies where the relation shall be known, British ships of war will not be thought so formibale. A few long boats drove, and apparently injured, those sized ships that seemed best calculated to distress us. The committee of safety are going this morning to New Castle, and downwards, to see what may be necessary to advise for the protections of the shore below. Truly the people at large have shown great alacrity and willingness on this occasion. I know not when I shall be with you, as I may be of some little use here. I shall stay till there is some alteration in the appearance of things. Excuse this scroll. My complements to all friends.

I remain
Your very humble servant,
GEO. READ."

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## GEORGE READ TO MAJOR GENERAL RODNEY.

Dover half past 4—Monday afternoon.

Dear General.

Capts. West & Clark just from the Cross Roads bring intelligence that a considerable body of the Enemy supposed to be 700 landed this morning about Listen's Highlands and were on their March up the Thoroughfare Neck—-it is highly expedient that Col. Pope repair immediately to the Cross Roads in order to secure the Cloathing &c there belonging to his Battalion—and that you forthwith give orders for the assembling of the Militia—Col. Collins is doing a part of the business here and will set out for the Cross Roads in a few minutes

I am yors. &c
GEO. READ

## CAESAR RODNEY TO THOS. RODNEY.

Note. These letters of Caesar Rodney are drafts, written by, and with few exceptions, signed by him.

To Mr. Thomas Rodney,
at Dover

Phila. Sept. the 9th, 1774

Sir,

On Thursday the 1st of this month, after a very warm, disagreeable ride, I

arrived in Town together with some of the Virginia gent'n. By Sunday eve'g last, the delegates from all the different Colonies, except North Carolina & georgia came to town & on Monday they met at Carpenter's Hall, when the Hon. Peyton Randolph was unanimously elected to the chair by the name of President. Charles Thompson was chosen Secretary & I door-keeper & Messengers was also appointed—The Congress then proceeded to business & have set every day since. I doubt their rising before some time in Oct. perhaps the middle All the 7 delegates appointed from Virginia are here & more sensible fine fellows you would never wish to to see In short, it is the greatest Assembly (in proportion to the numbers) that ever was collected in America & the Bostonians who (we know) have been condemned by many for their violence are moderate men when compared to Virginia, South Carolina & Rhode Island. In short, all the Colonies seem to be hearty in the cause & have the greatest respect paid them by all the first people there—A letter to Mr. Cushing, by Express from Boston informs that all is quiet as yet, that their Superior Court had met under the act of Parliament for altering their gov't but that it could not proceed for want of Jury-men who would not attend. That almost all the Judges appointed under that Act had waited on the Gov'r. with resignations..... I have been very poorly ever since I came to town, but hope I shall get better. Remember me to Betsey, Sally, Cesar & to all enquiring friends. The Congress meets at 9 therefore I have not more time than to say

I am your humble servant

CAESAR RODNEY

From Library of Congress.

To Mr. Thomas Rodney,

in Dover.

Phil'a, Monday Sept. the 19th 1774

Sir,

.....Sometime ago, I do not doubt but you were all much alarmed on a report that the King's ships were firing on the town of Boston—When that news came to this city the Bells were muffled & kept ringing all that day—However, in a few days after that news was contradicted here, & I hope by this time it is so with you. By some late very authentic acc'ts. from Boston gov't. to the gent'n of that place now at the Congress. We are informed that there was about 3 days between this report's passing thro' the Mass. & Conn. gov'ts. & its being contradicted. That when the expresses went to contradict this false report, they found in those 2 gov'ts in different parties upward of 50,000 men well-armed, actually on their march to Boston for the relief of the inhabitants & that every farmer who had a cart or waggon (& not able to bear arms) were with them loaded with provisions, ammunition, baggage &c.—all headed by experienced officers who had served in the late American war—& that vast numbers more were preparing to march. Upon the news being contradicted, they returned peaceably to their several places of abode—but not till they had sent some of their officers from the different parties to Boston to know the real situation of affairs there & to direct them what principal officers in the different parts of the country they should hereafter send expresses to—in case they

should stand in need of their assistance. It is supposed by some of the friends of liberty at Boston that the alarm was set on foot by some of the friends to the ministerial plan in order to try whether there was that true valor in the people—If this was the case, I suppose you will think with me that by this time they can have no doubts remaining. Indeed I think it is proved by the Gov's own conduct for ever since that, he has been fortifying himself, which I imagine is more for his own security than to attack the inhabitants. Yesterday afternoon Capt. All from London came up to town. But no news that he may have bro't has as yet transpired, except that friends to the American cause are daily increasing on the other side of the water.

I am yours,

CAESAR RODNEY

From Library of Congress.

To Mr. Thomas Rodney
in Dover

Phil'a. Sept. the 24th 1774
Saturday

Sir,

There is little or nothing new since I wrote you last I think I wrote you of Mr. Hawkley's death & that Mr. Rich'd. Penn has got his office. I have now the pleasure to tell you of a truth that in this the Gov'r has the whole & sole merit & that it has brought about an entire reconciliation. Mr. Penn has (since) been to see the Gov. & the Gov'r. him. Their wives have also visited. I shall tell you more of this mattter if I live to see you Mr. R. Penn is a great friend to the cause of liberty & has treated the gentlemen delegates with the greatest respect. More or less of them dine with him every day & his brother wishes his station would admit of his acting the same part. All these matters are for your own private speculation & not for public view. By this you may see that some people with you are mistaken in their politics & you may also take for granted every body here not well pleased with the coalition of the two Brothers.) [Mentions arrival of ships]. In short every body say half the quantity of dry goods never was before imported as now are & likely to be this fall. So that it will not be necessary for you to come up for the purpose of purchasing till after the Election. You may tell those whom it may concern that Missrs. Charlton who used to take in some of our Rout Ladies to lodge was buried the day before yesterday from whence they will (no doubt) readily suppose that she is dead.

[Sept. 24, 1774]

[Reports news from Boston, Gen. Gage's answer to the Committee quoted in general terms, & goes on:]

From this you will readily suppose the Gen'l. is about to act a prudent part. Query, Was he not frightened into that prudence by the manly prudent oppostion of the inhabitants of that Gov't. I have never read but one letter from you since I came up & can say of a truth I never wanted to have one from you much more than at present.....Tell Betsey & Sally that I have not got well yet & that I have very little expectation that I shall while I am under the necessity of spending all

those that ought to be my leisure hours in feasting or be thought to neglect those who kindly invite. However remember me kindly to them both and tell Cesar that I will send his fiddle by the first shallop.

I am, as usual, your friend &
humble servant,

CAESAR RODNEY

P. S.—I have enclose you a request from the Congress to the merchants that might know in time what they may expect.

From Library of Congress.

To Thomas Rodney Esq.
in Dover

New Castle May the 8th 1775.

Sir,

I arrived here yesterday afternoon & soon after waited on Col. Bland one of the delegates from Virginia, who is since gone up to town in the stage & says the other delegates from his colony, (he believes) might have got as far as Chester last night. Mr. Hall, Mr. Johnson & Mr. Tilghman of Maryland set out from here this day soon after dinner & about the same time, a brig from South Carolina passed by with the delegates from that colony Mr. Chaise of Maryland went through this town yesterday. Mr. Read & I are to set out to-morrow morning attended by the Militia of this town at the instance & request of the Company. The Province Assembly who are now setting have added Dr. Benjamin Franklin & Mr. James Wilson of York Co. to the Congress. The Comm'ee. of New-Castle Co. have given & published as their opinion that one shilling & six pence in the pound upon the rate of assessment should be immediately collected from the inhabitants of the Co. The Comm'ee have set about to collect & the people pay it with more cheerfulness than they have been known to pay any tax heretofore as I am informed. Thus ends the news for the present. I sent your letter to Wilmington this morning. Mr. Adams had none of those exercises. But I have rec'd as a present of the gentlemen here twenty-four of them which I have sent you & desire you will furnish each company in Kent with one of them as a present from me. When I get to town, you shall hear from me again. I am &c.

CAESAR RODNEY

N. B. The money raised by the New-Castle Committees order is for purchasing arms, ammunition &c.

From Library of Congress.

To Thomas Rodney, Esq.
in Dover

Phila'. May the 11th 1775.

Sir,

I have very little news (as yet) to write you more than what the printers (who are very apt to get the whip-hand of their neighbours in that way) have set forth in their papers which you will get pr. post Billy Rodney will give you a description of the public entry of the Bostonian delegates into this City yesterday. It was very grand & intended to show their approbation of the conduct of the good people of that gov't in the distressing situation of affairs there. I believe from the best accounts that Gen Gage was forced upon the plan of sending troops to Concord by the other officers of note together with the Tory party in Boston, Mandamus, Councellors &c. alledging that the people would address, resolve & threaten but would not fight. The Gen. Tho' overruled it seems was not convinced, therefore sent a 2nd Brigade. The purpose of the expedition was to destroy the ammunition, arms, provisions & bridges & some to take Hancock & the other delegates who they knew to be in that part of the country. Mr. Hancock told me he had been to see that small company at Lexington exercise & had not left them more than 10 minutes when the Troops came up & that they had no suspicion of any. Last eve'g. I saw a very intelligent man from Mass. gov't. who was in the engagement & got him to relate the story. He says they fired on the people at Lexington as related & killed 7 on the spot They dispersed without returning the fire—that the troops went on to Concord destroyed Mast, Flour & Pork—threw a quantity of Ball in the River—broke 2 Cannon & did other damage. That by this time, 150 provincials had collected near the Bridge—that the Troops fired on them & killed 3 that the provincials for the first time returned the fire which they continued & increasing in their number drove the troops back as far as Lexington where when joined by the 2nd Brigade, they made some stand but soon retired again, which they continued without making any stop till they got to Charles Town—He says they retreated at the rate of near 6 miles an hour. That there never was more than 400 provincials who see them till they got to Buncar's Hill at the edge of Charles Town—that there were better than 2000 provincials who had way-laid them but were on the wrong road & about 2000 more who followed very fast but could not come up till at Buncar's Hill. That the provincials had 36 killed—that he cannot tell how many Regulars were killed but that the provincials buried 100 & three of them which they found dead on the road from Concord to Charles Town. I should be glad you would call upon Joseph Pouyn & know whether I can have that room of his next Doct. Ridgley's in case I should stand in need of it & know of him what the rent must be.

There is such a martial spirit prevails in the province that I can not get you a drum & colors in less than 2 weeks by which time Fleeson says they shall be ready .....The congress met yesterday—chose Peyton Randolph President & Charles Thomson Secy. Franklin, Willson & Thos. Willing are added. The Congress will be opened this day with prayers by Mr. Durkee & then proceed to business

I am yours

CAESAR RODNEY

P. S. I intended this letter by Billy but did not see him the day he left town.

From Library of Congress.

To Thomas Rodney, Esq.
in Dover

Phila. June the 20th 1775

Sir,

..... ..The money you sent me by the Doct. I rec'd, & if Galloway does not lie shall send your coat by Banning who sets out to-morrow morning. If he does I will send it by the first opportunity. Your Drum, went by Norris's Vessell the last time & I suppose you have got it. The colors are not yet ready. I can now let you into a part of our proceedings in Congress We have ordered millions of dollars to be struck here as a Continental paper Currency for the defraying the expenses of defending our Constitution, Rights & privileges—the money is to be sunk by all the 12 colonies in 7 years according to their quotas which are settled in proportion to the number of inhabitants in each Colony. We have appointed Col. George Washington, General & Commander in chief of all the Colony forces Gen. Ward, (now with the army before Boston) to be Maj'r Gen'l & second in command Gen. Lee a Major Gen'l. & 3rd in command. Col. Skeiler a Major Gen'l. & 4th in command & Col. Putnam a Major Gen'l. & 5th in Command. All the Brig'r. Genls. Cols. Lt. Cols. Majors &c. are confirmed according to their appointments by the colonies when the troops they command were raised. Gen. Washington viewed the militia of this place today & sets out for Boston Camp next day after tomorrow. Gen. Lee will go with him & they will have a large escort from this city as far as Foxtown at least. I am much pleased to hear you have sold the sloop & as times have but a very gloomy appearance, I wish both the other Vessels were sold provided they were were well sold—however, you neglected to let me know what you are to get for the sloop, I am glad to hear that there is to be a good crop of wheat & hay. The hay we know how to dispose of but God knows what we shall do with the wheat. There is little or no reason to expect the Congress will rise I rather think they will set the whole of this season; but am in hopes that a week or fortnight hence the most material business will be so settled as that I shall obtain leave of absence for 2 weeks. .....Your Coat is calculated for the Light Infantry of the 1st Battal'n. the uniform of the 2nd Bat'n. is to be brown & white facings & their infantry blue & white facings. .....I heard this afternoon by express from Rhode Island that a part of the Troops expected at Boston from Ireland are arrived. ....& that the remainder are looked for every day ....After they have had a few days to recruit from their voyage, we may expect warm work & warm it will be I dare say—for we just had an Express from our provincial Camp, who informs of a truth we have there 18,000 men ready to receive the Regulars & indeed wishing they may come out—provided they intend to persist in their oppression: I wish our new Generals were at the Camp—Remember me kindly to our Family's Relations & Friends & tell them I expect to see them in about two weeks.

I am yours

CAESAR RODNEY

From Library of Congress.

To Thomas Rodney Esq.
in Dover—
Kent County

[29 Nov. 1775]

Sir,

After a very cold disagreeable ride, I am in town & have had since I came a smart fit of the asthma Soon after I parted with you, the evening before I left home, I began to be strongly impressed with the thoughts of taking lodgings as soon as I should arrive in town & these thoughts being accompanied with many weighty reasons which I will comunicate to you when I can do it by means of my tongue instead of my pen & thereby save the trouble of writing so much, I went to lodgings the night I got to town with a certain widow Dewer opposite John Cadwallader's in Second St. This place was recommended to me by a friend of mine, (one Mr. Milligan) & from what I have yet seen she is a very genteel, well-behaved, kind body—Her house is fully & genteely furnished—She has no lodger but me. I have a good lodging Room & Parlor to myself—Her own family consists of 3 children, to wit, 2 girls & 1 boy & one servant girl—She keeps a good table & is very obliging. Therefore, you may suppose I am so far very happy—I am to pay her 30 shillings a week for myself & 10 shillings a week for my servant, & am to find my own wine, spirits & fire-wood. I have already laid in my wine, Spirits & one cord of wood & pray remember the 3 cord we were planning to be bro't up in the new schooner & remember also that I would have the destination of it altered, that is, I would have it bro't to my lodgings where I hope to see you when you come up. I would by no means have the wood to go where we first intended—More of this when I see you.

While poor David Beveridge was at Lewis, his brig came in, loaded with sugars, molasses & coffee—She has since run upon the Chevaux de Frise & immediately sunk in five-fathom water—no part is saved—one or two river boats have struck & been sunk by them the moment they touched—I mention this that you may give strict orders to your people to be careful in passing them with the new schooner for if she touches them she is surely lost with all her cargo.

Mess'rs Wasington, Miss 'rs Gates, Col. Curtis & his Lady & one Mr. Lewis all of Virginia set out from here this morn'g. for the camp at Cambridge accompanied by all the military officers—the 3 Companies of Light Infantry & the company of Light Horse—As they came up Gen. McKinley with 40 or 50 of his Battalion attended them to Schuykill Ferry.

We have certain intelligence that there are 2500 or at least 2000 troops landed at Boston from Ireland & it is tho't by many that with this reinforcement they will make a push to get out by attacking our lines. If they should attempt it, I hope our American Boys, who have been hitherto fortunate, will give us a good account of them

Wednesday Nov. the 29th 1775

You will find in this day's paper an account of the surrender of Montreal to Gen. Montgomery on the 13th inst. The Congress have (as yet) received no express but expect one every hour as the account is generally believed—Mr. Livingston, being a man of character, brother to a Member of the Congress & Brother-in-law to Gen. Montgomery.

Pray take care to have both your & my business in such order as to receive as little damage as possible in your absence, particularly take care that all the chimneys be swept clean. I am ,with my love to all my friends

yours &c.

CAESAR RODNEY.

P. S.—Remember to bring up one of Cesar's frocks that I may have his uniform made & as you come by land I desire you would inform yourself what state our money printing is in—I shall want to know.

From Library of Congress.

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Philada. July the 4th 1776—

Sir/

I have inclosed you a Summons directed to the Sheriff to Summons the member of our County to meet in assembly at New Castle on the 22d. day of this Instant which I hope you will have put into his hands as soon as possible after it comes to yours—I arrived in Congress (tho detained by thunder and Rain—)time enough to give my Voice in the Matter of Independence—It is determined by the thirteen United Colonies without even one decenting Colony—We have now got through with the whole of the declaration, and ordered it be printed, so that you will soon have the pleasure of seeing it—Hand-bills of it will be printed, and sent to the Armies, Cities, County Towns &c. To be published or rather proclaimed in form—Don't neglect to attend Closely and Carefully to my Harvest and you'll oblige

Yours

CAESAR RODNEY

From Library of Congress.

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Captain Carson

Dover July 22. 1776

Sir.

As the English Armed Vessels have all now left the Delaware, & as a powerful French fleet is lying off our coast, the inhabitants of this state, do not, in my opinion, appear to be in that danger from an invasion of the Enemy, so justly apprehended by the General Assembly, when they Entered into the resolution for Establishing the independent Company you command in this county. I do, therefore, in virtue of the powers given by the General Assembly, hereby disband the above mentioned independent Company; You are therefore immediately to discharge the officers & privates thereof from further service. You are also, so soon as it may be convenient, to make me a regular return of those who may have been Engaged, & done duty in said Company.

Yours &c

CAESAR RODNEY

N. B. The Newcastle & Sussex Companies were ordered to be disbanded on the 11th instant.

## CAESAR RODNEY TO COL. JOHN HASLET. (Draft)

Philadelphia Sepr. 12th 1776.

Dear Sir

I have been favoured with two Letters from you and dated at New York, the other at Kings-Bridge, in both of which you desire I would Communicate to my friends your Situation after the Engagement, from whom Missrs. Haslet might hear it—Imagining it might be a considerable time before the news would get to her in that way, and that in the meantime she would be very uneasy. Therefore wrote a Letter to her imediately on the Rect of your first, in which I Let her know the whole affair and Sent it by a Safe hand—I am happy that I have it in my power to Congratulate you on the Bravery your Battalion has shown in the late action, and the great Honor that the officers and men have acquired by it—They are much Spoken of here and I have been often complimented in behalf of the Government on their account—They deserve much of their County, and (as an Individual) have my most hearty thanks—I am Extremely Sorry for poor Stewart and the other brave lads that fell, tho' in the Bed of Honor—Must Confess I don't like your present situation, yet hope the best, the Justice of our Cause and the bravery of our Troops may do wonders.

In your last Letter you seem to Show some uneasiness least there should be some changes in the delegates, I believe you may lie Easy on that head, In the first place I imagine they would not venture to Risque the making Such an uproar in the Government, as the turning one out probably wou'd make, and in the next the undesigning Patriotick part are determined to protest against the doing anything but that of framing a plan of Government—In Mr. Reads last letter to me is the following paragraphs "Our business has been delayed in Convention by the "death of Mrs. Thompson, the Sister of Mr. McKean, who was burried this day, "Mr. McKean's Eldest son lies dangerously ill at Mr. Thompsons house, and I "know not when he can attend—a Committee of ten is Employed in the drafting "a Declaration of Rights, the rest of the Members from Kent & Sussex are gitting "impatient, Doctr. Ridgely is Returned Home Sick, Such is the situation of Matters "Here." When Mr Read went to Newcastle he prevail on me to stay in Congress, and that he would get the Convention to give a power to One Member to act, so that our Government might be Represented by me alone till the Convention should Rise, I mentioned this to Mr. McKean who directly declared they should make no appointment of Delegates, nor even alter the power given them, least they (meaning the Convention) should plead that as a precident, for going into some other appointments—which they were not Authorized to do by their choice—therefore upon the whole I don't imagine they will attempt any change—But sir whether they do or not, I do not purpose continuing here longer than till the other Gentlemen return; I have made a verry great Sacrifice of my property to the Cause, Government never paid me above half what I have necessarily expended even when my friends were at the Helm—What may I expect from these? they would see me Serve without a shilling. You know they would, because you know they like not either me or the Cause—General Dagworthy, Mr. Clowes and Mr Peery were here, and say the Tory plan for leaving me out of the Convention was, first to put me at the head of their Ticket to show their approbation of me, after which they put another person in my Stead, and assigned as a Reason for it, that it was now a critical time. That it was absolutely necessary we should keep up our Representation in the Congress.

That they wished I might not be laid under the necessaty of leaving the Congress at a time so Interesting. Which I must do if chose in Convention &c—These Gentlemen then Said that the Inhabitants of Newcastle County had not Considered to the matter in that light for they had chose both their delegates, In answer to this; it was said, they, the people of Newcastle had done verry wrong &c By such little Cunning are the people to be cajoled—I saw a man from Mispillion who left there a day or two before my letter could have reached it. Who told me that yours and Captain Adam's famalies were well, but they were in much distress for the Delawares who, (from all accots. they had Received) were at least two thirds cut off—That almost all the officers were killed particularly you. He told me the people were generally distressed, having most of them some friend or Relation in the Battalion—My letter I am Sure has set that Matter Right—

I wrote a week ago to Mr. Montgomery the Chaplain not knowing then whether you were among the Dead or living. Should be glad to know whether the letter got safe hand—be pleased to Enquire of him an let me know, in your next which I hope will be soon—Make my compliments to Doctr. Tilton, and tell him I forwarded his Brothers letter—That you may have a happy deliverance, and your Battalion be crowned (if possible) with still more Honor in Every Combat is the Sincere wish of sir

Yr. Real friend & Humble Servt
CAESAR RODNEY

Colo. John Haslet
P. S. I Remembered you as desired, to Messrs. Killen & Rodney

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO CAPTAIN RODNEY.

Dover Decr. the 29th 1776.

Dr. Brother

This is intended by Mr. Burtle Shee who proposes to Set out for the Camp to morrow morning—We still continue here, to be in the most anxious uneasy situation you can possible conceive—Seldom a day passes but we have some Intelligence both of our Army and that of the English, and nothing we hear to be depended upon. By some accounts Howe is Retreating, and General Washington about to repass the Delaware, again it is soundly asserted that there can be no doubt but that Howe will keep his ground in the Jersey till the Spring, when he will be Strengthened by a large fleet up the Delaware. Thus the mind anxious for the Salvation of America is held in Suspence. I think it absolutely necessary that Howe should be routed from the Jersey this Winter, and the sooner it is done the better. But am afraid our General has not yet got force enough to do it—Ever Since you left . . . . . I have been doing every thing in my power to draw . . . . . the militia of this County to Join the Army, But to verry . . . . . as yet—Some days ago I proposed marching mys . . . . . with such as should be willing, and have appoint . . . . . such as are to meet prepared for that purpose . . . . . on Thursday next, what Effect this may have that day will determine. However be that as it may I shall be in Readiness, or at least as much so, as so short time admit of—Some people are of opinion that many will turn out. Some others that they will not—Mr. Collins is determined it seems to march with

me—The major talks of it—It would have given me much pleasure to Receive from you a letter dated some few days after your arrival at the camp, because I suppose you would in that time be able to form some toreable Judgment of the Real s . . . . . tion of affairs there—I am Just now, while we . . . . . .made happy by a piece of news which is Repor . . . . . to be depended upon—That General Washington has Regained possession of Trention—Tha. . . . killed and wounded many—and taken a great . . . . . Number of Prisoners, with ten or Eleven Brass Field pieces and a verry considerable quantity of Stores—and that He is in a fair way to Drive the English Army before him, God of his Infinite mercy Grant it may be true—If our people turn out I shall be with you Quo General, if not Quo private gentleman. My present determination to come at all Events—Our families are both well, and I believe Betsey will write by this opportunity—The Interesting situation of our public affairs will point out to you the propriety of writing me by every opportunity in stronger terms than any other arguments I can make use of—Therefore hope you will not neglect to do it—With mine and the good wishes of all your friends for your success I am yrs &c

CAESAR RODNEY

By a Letter from Lieutenant McCall to his father, I am Informed that your Company is Stationed at the House of Mr. Andrew Allen. Where Mrs. Allen continues to reside with her children, and that she applied to you as commanding officer of the company, for protection & Civil usage—This, I much pleased to hear, you readily Engaged to afford her, so far as was consistent with your Duty—I am verry sorry Mr. Allen has taken a Part so unfriendly, or Rather in direct opposition to that Cause in which all the Free men of America are so deeply interested. And for which all who think as I do would sooner spill the last drop of their Blood than Even Stand Nuter—But as Mrs. Allen has allways Supported, and I am convinced verry deservedly the character of a most amiable good woman, and as her situation at this time must be Extremely Delicate—It will be unnecessary to Recommend to you, the treating her with all the Tenderness and decent Respect due to her Character and in your power consistant with a proper discharge of your duty—So far as I am acquainted with your people. I am persuaded they will be disposed to Treat her Rather with complisance than the least degree of rudeness—

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO WILLIAM KILLEN. (Draft)

Trenton Jany 27th 1777—

Most Honbl Councilor

At a time when Every Sensible mind is filled with the greatest Anxiety for the Fate of America, When the Sons of Freedom have drawn their Swords and Nobly Stepped forth, in this inclement season, to defend their most Invaluable Rights and priviledges At a time of deep distress and danger—You whose first and greatest Temporary wish is for the Freedom of the States are (no doubt) Desirous to know the state of things in this land of Tryal—This scene of Action—this Frosty Warfare—Be it so—I'll Endeavour to amuse if not Inform the Eager Ear—You have heard (sad Inteligence) of your Mercer and Haslet, Slaine, They fell, but nobly fell tho Butchered, and so long as the Inhabitants of this American world shall

Continue to be a free people So long (at least) will the name of Mercer and Haslet be held in Honourable Rememberance—Mercer's Character is Excellent, but in Haslet We know we Lost a Brave, open, Honest, Sensible Man, one who loved his Country's more than his private Interest—But while Washington survives the great American Cause cannot Die, his abilities Seem to be fully Equal to the public Spirit that called him forth—History does not furnish you with a greater Piece of Generalship than he exhibited on the day poor Haslet fell—He fought, he conquered—and if we continue to Improve the advantages then gained, we shall soon put and end to the Dreadfull Controversey that agitates and Distracts us—and in Return have Peace, Liberty and Safety, Heaven! what a glorious Figure in the Eyes of Men and Angels, will this vast American world Exhibit, in its Free Independent State. Nothing will then be wanting but better Men and Wiser Measures to make us a happy people—There has been no Capital Stroke since our main army Left Princeton Tho' there seldom a day passes but some advantages are gained which tend to distress, and in a little time must ruin our Enemy—for the Particulars of these little Engagements must beg leave to refer you to my Brother and others that you will see from these parts—They are to numerous and attended with too many Circumstances for my time and Pen—I have been perfectly well in health Ever Since I left Home, and do assure you that I began to play the General most Surprisingly. I would not have you suppose I mean the fighting General, that, is a part of duty I have not yet been called upon to discharge —But when called I trust I shall not disgrace the American Cause tis glorious Even to die in a good Cause. By Lord Sterling, who I found in Philadelphia, I was directed to take the command at this Place—to forward the Troops to the Army as fast as they should arrive always keeping Sufficient for this Post—Since my arrival I have sent forward near two thousand, among others the Delawares who first went to Princetown and then were sent by General Putman to the main army to Convoy forty or fifty Waggons—Yesterday (by permission) I set out myself for Camp—But on my way Received orders to return to my old Post where I now am—General Mifflin is gone to Philadelphia to forward the Troops there—In short Every step is taken, by fixing the most suitable persons in these places, to strengthen our army as soon as possible—it is, I do assure you, Increasing verry fast—The cloud is fast gathering all around, and I trust will soon burst on the Tyrants Heads —as soon as the chief of the Southern Troops pass this place I shall have leave to go and join my Brigade—

William Killen Esq. Dover.

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO LORD STERLING. (Draft)

Trenton Feby the 2d 1777—

My Lord

When at Trenton, I mentioned to you my desire of being Removed to Head Quarters to Join my Brigade—and wished to hear from you on that Head—However if upon advising with ye General, it is thought, I can be more useful at this Post, Shall remain Here with the greatest chearfulness—Not more than four hundred troops, Except the Light Horse, have arived Here Since you passed through. And having Recd a Letter from General Putman Requesting I would Immediately send him four or five hundred to Replace that many of Militia whose time had

Expired, have let him have upward of two hundred with a promise to make up the number he desires, as soon as so many Militia shall arrive—All the Continental Troops and the Remainder of the Militia shall Immediately after their arrival be sent to head quarters—The bearer of this takes with him a letter to his Excellency General Washington, from a Hessian Captain, one of the prisoners at this place—He Informs me the contents is to obtain his Excellency's permission to go to New York for his clothes and other Baggage or be permitted to send an open Letter by a Flagg addressed to some friend of his there to send them to him—I doubted his succeeding in this first Request—tho he probably might in the second—You will be pleased to let me know, by the first opportunity, Whether it is thought best I should stay here, or whether I may with equal Service to the Cause be permitted to Join the Brigade—

I am Your Lordships Most Obedient Humble Servant

CAESAR RODNEY

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO LORD STIRLING. (Unsigned draft)

Sir

Your Letter dated the 6th Instant I Recd. yesterday Evening, and am much obliged to you for the trouble you have taken —in applying to the General, But to my Great Surprise, The last of the Delaware Militia that I, with much pains, brought out to Serve the Cause, passed through this town the day before yesterday on their way Home, So that I have now no Brigade to Join as desired by the General —They Spent near or Quite three weeks in Marching to Head Quarters, stayed there about one week without Rendering a single Copper's worth of Service to the public, and then, tho' Solicited by the General to Stay only two weeks more, Shamefully Set off, and from anything I could learn without a discharge—I have been in the Command at this place Every Since your Lordship appointed me to it, and Shall, as Matters are now Circumstanced, Continue Here until ordered to some other place or Discharged—If I have given Satisfaction, and can be longer usefull here or elsewhere, I shall, with the greatest cheerfullness, Stay longer in the Service —If not, shall expect a Discharge—Yesterday I Sent to Headquarters by way of Princetown, Coll. McCoys Regiment of Continental Troops. The day before Coll. Reeds Battalion of Jersey Militia went—On the whole about twelve hundred—

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO GENERAL DICKINSON (Draft)

Sir

General Putnam told me the other day at Princetown that you hinted to him, my being sent to the Post where you now command—I suppose with a view of your being Released for home—I well know that it would be a verry great advantage to you to be here, near by your estate which has and is suffering much—I know also that the present situation of your wife and children must give you such concern that nothing less than the good of your country, could detain you a moment from them—These things would move me, most chearfully to accept the appointment if made—But Sir, it would be with great Diffidence, Well knowing

that my Experience in Military matters must fall vastly short of even those who are inferior to you in that point—However as I have not much Doubt but that I should acquite myself with some degree of credit, Especially with a small matter of Instructions from you (who I would wish not to leave the post before I came) I shall willingly come provided you can obtain an Order for that purpose—I have applied for leave to go to head quarters & join my Brigade there—and did the general know that most of the Troops now go from Philadelphia by way of Curreyell's Ferry he would think my stay here less necessary, and of course give me leave—I have not yet got an answer, and if I don't get one soon, am afraid I shall have no Brigade to join—Ten to one but they have, Ere, now, begun to be Homesick—I have been stationed here near three weeks—it was much against my will, and yet I think it has been of considerable advantage having time to improve by Practice with out Hurry—As I have turned out in this Frosty Season and have Enjoyed a perfect good State of Health, Could wish to be Employed Longer (if with propriety) than, I think, the Troops of our State will stay—Be pleased to let me Hear from you the first opportunity—I am Sir your most obedient Humble Servt.

CAESAR RODNEY

Trenton Feby 5th 1777—

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO GENERAL PUTNAM. (Draft)

(About Feby. 1777)

Sir

I Recollect (when I had the pleasure of waiting on you at Princetown), that you mentioned General Dickinsons having proposed my being ordered to his Post, and he ordered here—I did not then attend so much to what you said on that head as I ought—But as I supposed his being posted here, where he would be near to his (lately) much Injured Estate, wou'd be verry desirable—Shall have no other objections to the Exchange if ordered, Than that I may want his Experience to discharge the Military duty, as I could wish—If you should approve and will let me know I shall set out for that place, where General Dickinson stay till I arrive —I think there can be no disadvantage attending this Post being without a General officer for a little time, Especially as most of the Troops go from Philadelphia by way of Curryells Ferry—I am Your Excellency's most Obedient Humble Servant

CAESAR RODNEY

General Putnam

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO JOHN McKINLY. (Draft)

Dover May the 6th 1777.

Honb Sir

Yesterday the Militia officers of this County, met in Dover, persuant to my orders, with the Enrollments of their several Companies, as well the old as those under the New Militia Act. from whence we formed an estimate of the number Each company should furnish, having regard to the strength and situation of the company, and gave the proper orders for enforcing a speedy compliance—We have appointed the company officers that are to Serve in the first division. Who, as well as the men to Parade, those from the Lower Battalion in Dover & those of

the Upper at the Cross Roads on Tuesday next prepared to march immediately from thence to the Camp. In the mean time be assured Every thing that can, will be done to Inspire them with a Just and lively sense of their duty on this Great & most Important Occasion—As I am not fond of Trouble myself, it is disagreeable to me, to lye under the necessity of being Troublesome to other people, more especially to one who is so much Engaged in business as I am convinced you must be, But Sir, as I would wish that in matters of this kind, The supreme Executive authority of the State, Should be the Rule of my Conduct, hope I shall Stand Excused with you, Tho' the Enquiry should be made—from a want of understanding as you seem to hint in your last letter—I have Inclosed you a List of the officers appointed, that the Commissions may be filled up, but think it might be better to send down Blank Commissions for the Field-Officers who are not yet appointed—I wrote to General Dagsworthy who left here yesterday morning, and Inclosed him the copy as you Requested, and sent orders, by Express, to Coll. Polk to furnish the troops allotted the Western Battalion as agreed between General Dagsworthy & me, which is one half of the Quota of Sussex County—Be pleased to Let me know how the troops are to be provided for between this and the Camp, whether they are to be Billited at the Taverns, and out of what fund it is presently to be paid,—if it were possible they could draw rations on their way, the Saving would be verry considerable—Should be glad to know whether it is expected that a General officer should attend the troops, from this State—I am in great hopes the Militia of this County will turn out tolerable well But shall be able to Let you know more of that matter some few days Hence—I am Sir Yr. most Humble Servt.

CAESAR RODNEY

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO COLL PATTERSON. (Draft)

Dover May the 13th 1777—

Sir

I shall do my self the Honr. of taking the command of the Delaware Militia Destined for the Camp near Neaman's Creek, Expect to be there on Saturday or Sunday next and shall be Happy as I always was in Your Company—I have given some orders to the Quarter Master of the Kent Battalion which he will shew you and beg you will assist him, as soon as possible I shall shake you by the hand and In the mean time believe me sir

Yr most obt. Humble Servt.
CAESAR RODNEY.

Colo. Patterson.

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO PRESIDENT McKINLY? (Draft)

Dover July the 10th 1777—

Sir

On Sunday last was apprehended and brought to Dover Goal, on Suspicion of Trading with the English Men of War, One John Willson, a Resident of New Jersey, on Tuesday I took his Examination in writing wherein he charged, Jonas

Edingfield of Bombay Hook in Newcastle County, John Ashworth of the same Place, and one John Conner who is said to live in Thoroughfare Neck, of having Supplied the Men of War with Stock &c. In consequence of this I got Mr. Banning a member of the Legislative Council, the only Civil magistrate in this town, to issue a Warrant for them in order that they might be taken and Dealt with as directed by an act of the General Assembly of this State. Upon this warrant Jonas Edingfield and John Ashworth were taken and brought here. When upon Examination after same little time they confessed the fact with which they were charged and now Stand Committed to the Sheriff and in close custody I have Inclosed you a Copy of the Examination and should be glad to know from you at the Request of Mr. Banning, Whether it will be most proper they should Remain in Goal Here, admitted to go at Liberty on giving Security, or Sent to Newcastle for Tryal when the Supreme Court shall be filled, or whether, as the Trading was had in the Delaware Bay, it falls within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty Court—John Conner it seems has not only been Trading with the Enemy but was the person who Piloted the Man of War's Barges up Duck Creek to the Cross-Roads Landing and is not yet taken—I have also, since I saw you, taken the Depositions of three persons living at the lower End of this County Relative to the people in the Upper End of Sussex County and now send you a copy of them—This Evil is growing so verry fast that if not verry shortly put a stop to by some Exertion of Government we shall be overwhelmed, we are most certainly, even now, in Eminent danger,—Lt Coll. Barrett the Sheriff was with me yesterday and says that, a few days ago, in consequence of orders Received from me. He went to Mispillion Neck in this County, in order to Establish a Guard at that Post, being one of the three I gave you a Memorandum to have Established, and upon applying to Mr. Nathaniel Luff, who is Captain of the Militia in that Neck for that purpose, was let to know that he was convinced it could not be Done, for that the people in that quarter had so generally got into the Tradeing scheme with the Men of War, that it would be dangerous for any man who's property lay among them, to say a word, or do any act in opposition to it, and that if he could procure men enough thereabouts for a guard he should be doubtfull of them. Mr. Barrett tells me that he is well Informed they have got to so daring a pitch in Sussex as to put forth a Proclamation in opposition to yours, and as he believes, offering a greater Reward than is in yours, for the apprehension all those who shall attempt to oppose them in their present proceedings—I most Sincerely wish that some Method would be fallen upon by which the State. within itself and by its own authority, might bring about that subordination, and good order by a due Execution of the Laws and the support of our wholesome constitution, and thereby prevent or at least render unnecessary, the interposition of our neighbouring State, which, by some Information I have got since I saw you, is likely to be the case—Pray send me the order for Establishing the guards in this County which I Spoke to you about, our Temporary safety depends much on their being soon fixed—I must beg leave to tell you that John Willson who made the Information against the others Expects the Benefit of your proclamation.

I am &c &c
C RODNEY

## CAESAR RODNEY TO PRESIDENT McKINLY. (Draft)

Dover July 19th 1777—

Sir

Yesterday (by Express) I Recd Your Letter of the 15th & 17th Instant with the Commissions and Orders, as also a Copy of the Resolutions of Congress Inclosed. The Commission of Oyer & Terminer and the Supreme Commission which belonged to him, I gave to the Chief Justice who let me know he would Qualify and Immediately take Order in the Several Matters cognizable in that Court—Mr. Cook's shall be delivered—The orders, and the several Matters Recommended to me Shall meet with all that attention & Vigilence I would wish to see paid to every wise Resolution of State by those in Authority under it—With Respect the Hint in my last. That Some Exertion of Government was necessary, Nothing more was ment than that the Evil and the Danger to the State, had got to Such Hight and Still growing, That, in my opinion some force had become necessary in Order to Reduce the people to a due subordination to Government, and tho the number of Disaffected was great, yet I had little Doubt but the well affected within the Government were sufficient for this purpose, If so, and the application had been first made to the Supreme Authority of this State Instead of its being made Elsewhere Surely it would have been more to the credit of the State to have taken it up, in, or nearly in the manner Congress have—I had when I wrote last heard that Congress had taken Some Order in this matter but did not till I Received Your Letter know what their Resolutions on that head were. I think they are wholesome and tend to give that Security to this State, so much to be wished by us, and so necessary to the Safety and Well-being of the United States. But, I am nevertheless of opinion This, tho' necessary, Step, Carries with it a Supposed disaffection in a majority of the Inhabitants, or a want of Energy in the Rulers of the State; I mention these things thus freely to you, because I allways have, and still am convinced that you would (not only) wish, but at all times Do, everything in your Power which you had reason to believe would tend to support the Constitution of this government and maintain the Independence of the United States as declared by Congress, and I verily believe you'd not meet with Censure, provided opinion in these matters was properly supported by all those who hold authority under the State; But there is Certainly that kind of Careless, Indifference in too many who are appointed to the Civil line of Duty, which Created the like Indifference and Even Neglect in the Military. That must tend to render Ineffectual your Orders as the Commander in Chief. I hope they will mend, Sure I am, it is in their Power to give order, Ease and Safety to the two hundred Militia Requested of you by Congress and which you mention proper to be furnished from the Militia of this County to join and Co-operate with Colonel Richardson's Regiment, Shall by my orders be, Immediately Draughted or otherwise procured from said Militia, and then Shall have Orders to hold themselves in readiness untill I shall Receive further directions from you, which, when you give them, you'l be pleased to make full as to time of Service, Relief &c—I think your observations with respect to the Command and powers with which Colonel Richardson seems to be vested by Congress, are Extremely just. It certainly would be a Reflection on this State, to Suppose there was no person Inhabitant thereof, of Virtue, Patriotism, prudence and knowledge enough to have the Superintendency of that business and the Command, — tis well known that my other public, as well as my private affairs must

suffer by my absence at any time—But Sir when Ever I shall be thought usefull in the Service of my County, Either by Congress or you, I shall with the Greatest Chearfullness step forth, by whom are the offenders to be Tryed, but by the authority and the Laws of this State, if so, who is to report the proceedings held but the commanding officer? where is he to be found unless he be Resident within the jurisdiction of that authority? Tho' the General cause ought to be Supported at all Events. Yet many Inconveniences and Even Real Injuries to this State might be prevented by an alteration in the mode proceedure—hope therefore that Congress will weigh the matter well, when they do they seldom err. Mr. Killen is of opinion that the persons now in this goal ought to have their tryal in Newcastle County where the offence was committed—has therefore advised the sheriff to take order for their Removal, and says he will Immediately Issue Venires, I——— this by Express and a few lines from you by . . . . .perting any the contents of it, or that shall have accurred since you wrote me last will much oblige Sir your most obedient Humble Servt

CAESAR RODNEY

President McKinly

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO JOHN McKINLY. (Draft)

Dover August the 14th 1777—

Sir

Yours of the 12th Instant by Crampton, Came to hand yesterday, 6 o'clock P. M.—The field officers will be with me this day, when I shall give orders for the Meeting and marching the Militia ordered to Sussex County. And hope the Tents &c. will be sent forward as fast as possible—I confess I want the Abilities necessary to qualify me for the task assigned, but be assured that Everything, in my power, that tends to give Peace, Safety and Good Order to the State shall be done—If I should be able to Remove Impressions & Practices, too predomenant, in that County & lower End of this, & Introduce good Order and a better opinion of the glorious cause for which we are contending, Even at the Expense of Blood Be sure, I shall be happy ,not only in having Rendered great Service to my Country, which is and always has been my Chief,. but of meeting your approbation;—I have sent you herewith, a Packet including the returns of Col. Collins Battalion and a copy of his letter to me on that head as also respecting the guards ordered for the purpose of Examining Travellors &c—It is difficult I confess but you may depend I will procure the returns of the second Battalion as soon as possible—Mr. Killen says he wrote to you respecting their sending the two Robinsons through this place who expected would have been brought before him for examination—for be it known that whatever might have been the case heretofore the Supreme Court, in my opinion, is presently filled with persons not only competent, but ready & willing to discharge their duty—The chief Justice tells me he intends to Issue a Venire for holding a Court of Oyer & Terminer in Sussex within the Time I shall probably be there, which I think will Answer a good purpose, as offenders will not therefore be detained long for tryal, and aslo Tend to introduce a practice some time out of fashion of holding Courts and putting in execution the Laws of the States—I submit it to you Sir whether our Company of Light Horse wont be very serviceable

on this expedition to Sussex—I am apprehensive from the nature of the business they might be particularly so—but if found to be otherwise may be the sooner discharged, Be pleased to let me have your opinion and Order on this head—I believe they will Chearfully attend if called uppon—We shall immediately take order as to appointing persons for the recruiting service and advise me, and my wants, make it necessary and advisable—write to you—

Believe me with much respect

CAESAR RODNEY

(Note) The last of this letter and signature is the hand-writing of Thomas Rodney.

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO GENERAL WASHINGTON (Draft)

Noxonton Septr. the 9th 1777—

Dr Sir

I am here in a disagreeable situation unable to render you and the States those Services I both wished & Expected—A few days ago I moved from hence to Middletown in order to induce the Newcastle Militia in this Quarter, who had shown great backwardness, to turn out—Expecially as by that move most of their farms & property were covered. However all this has answered no purpose, for tho' I believe most of their officers have been vigilent, but very few have come in at all, and those few who made their appearance in the morning took the Liberty of Returning, Contrary to Orders, in the Evening, There increasing the duty of, and setting so bad an Example to the Troops from Kent, about four hundred in number and the only Troops I had with me—brought about so general discontent and uneasiness, Especially as they were more Immediately defending the property of those people, as Caused them in great numbers to leave me. Tho I must say the officers did all they could to prevent it—

Finding this the Case I paid Coll. Gist a Visit myself to know his situation and when it might be possible for him to move forward with Coll. Richardsons Battalion and the Militia of the Maryland, Eastern Shore. Who let me know he was doing all he could to collect them and would move forward as soon as he should have it his power—the two upper Battalions of New Castle County have never Even assigned me a Reason why they have not Joined me—Under these circumstances I Removed to Noxontown where the Camp duty, on the few I have with me is less severe. Until the other Troops mentioned shall be Ready to Move forward, and have wrote this day to Coll. Gist on that Head—Yesterday Evening I sent a party of my Light Horse to take a View of the Enemy and gain Intellegence, the officer with his men Returned this morning and Reports—that he was in Aitkins Tavern-House, passed some miles through the late Encampment of the Enemy Round about in that place Saw, and was among the fires they had left burning. That the Extreem part of their Right wing was at Cooch's Mill. Their left toward Newark. This Intelligence makes me the more anxious to collect and move forward such a body as would be able to render to Signal Service by falling upon and Harrassing their Right wing or Rear—Be assured, all I can do shall be done—But he that can deal with Militia may all most venture to deal with the . . . . . soon as I can set forward shall advise you—God send you a Complete Victory—I am Dear Sir

Your most obedt Humble Servt

General Washington CAESAR RODNEY

CAESAR RODNEY TO——— (Draft)

September the 21st 1777—

Dr Sir

There has Just fell into my hands, found in the Tract of Enemy by some of my people eight or ten days ago, One of the Enemy's orderly Books. It commences in April last, and ends since they landed at Elk. I have perused it, and being of opinion that it might be verry useful, provided you are not previously informed as to the matters it contains, have sent it you by a private of my Light Horse who I believe to be verry Trustworthy—Last fryday week in the afternoon I arrived at Christiana Bridge, and that Evening wrote you by one of my Horse who in a little time after unfortunately fell into the Enemy's hands with the Letter, as they were comeing to take possession of Wilmington—He was a private but a well behaved Trusty young fellow possessed property which is in Trade and therefore must suffer verry much. If under these Circumstances an Exchange, without Interruption to the Important business before, Could be soon made for him, it would give me great pleasure ,his name is William Berry—The next morning after the Enemy had taken possession of Wilmington we got Inteligence of it, and by the Evening had no more of the Delaware Militia than Sufficient to Conduct their Baggage Home—and these, their Officers let me know, were determined to go that night. Therefore thought it best to give them that charge and let them go—The next day I left Coll. Gist with the Continental Troops and the Militia from the Eastern Shore of Marlyand, at the Bridge, and have every since, but am sorry to say to no purpose, been trying to rouse and get them to the field again, Except a few small parties near Christina Creek, Removing Stock &c out of the Enemy's way the people complain the Militia Law, by the Insufficiency of the Fines, compells none to turn out—That the people of property who are disaffected avail themselves of it and therefore the burden too great on them—in Short, it does not seem Ever to have intended by the Law they should be brought forth—I am much hurt by not having it in my power to go forward with Coll. Gist to Join General Smallwood with propriety, Especially as the Cause, at this time, so Loudly Calls assistance. If there are any Services I can render be pleased to Command; I am dear sir with the most sincere wishes for you Sussecs your

Most obedient
Humble Servt
CAESAR RODNEY

P. S. Should be glad to hear from you—

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CEASAR RODNEY TO ——— (Draft)

Dover decr. the 25th 1777—

Dear Sir

Your letter of the 22d Instant, by Doct. Spencer Came to hand, and I am happy to find you have taken Post at Wilmington, a movement which, in its event, must tend to Secure the persons and propery of the well affected in this State, Against the depredations and Insults of a cruel Enemy and their cruel abetters—Mr. Read the Vice President, left this town on Sunday last, a few hours before he set out, he received a Letter from his Excellency General Washington advising

him of the design to take Post at Wilmington, and Requesting the aid of the Militia &c. He Immediately directed me to order the Militia of this County to hold themselves in Readiness to march at a moments warning in Case it should be found necessary—These orders have been issued, and am sorry to say that I believe they will be verry little Regarded, A want of Zeal in some and disaffection in others is so prevalent that little good is to be Expected of them in this way, it is a misfortune that our Militia Law is not calculated to bring them to the Field—I have issued orders to my Light-Horse to go Immediately to your Assistance and shall do everything in my power to get them there—I make no doube but the Militia of Newcastle County, who are near at hand, will generally turn out—I have, in this Town & near it, about one hundred men what are engaged and under pay for two months, but they are constantly employed in keeping in awe and preventing the disaffected carrying on a Trade with and Supplying the Enemy with Provisions, I have many of those Traitors now in goal and should be glad of a place of greater safety for them than this is. Should therefore be pleased to know of you whether you'd approve of their being sent to your Camp. I shall be glad to hear from you by the bearer, and be assured I shall do every thing in my power to assist you. I am Sir your most obedt. Humble Servt

CAESAR RODNEY

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO CAPTAIN CALDWELL (Draft)

Dover decr. 28th 1777—

Sir

I Received you letter of this day's date—If the Commissary promised to attend you he has done very wrong, and upon presumsition that he had neglected his duty sent for him, and he denies you ever giving him any notice to attend—but says he will attend to morrow morning—However be that as it may, you have by a neglect of your orders and your possitive Engagement occassioned such a disappointment that in all probability there will not be a single person left to do duty in the Town and that at a time when the prison is full of offenders, and what may be the consequence I leave you to judge. The people know their pay and rations were sure to be had at any time therefore that could not Justify their not attending as you Engaged—As to their pay if you had asked me for more money when in Town you might have had it, and may have it when ever you are pleased to call for it—I don't Recollect what the pay is, and have not a list of it by me, or would send you one—Captain Dalaner says that upon your promise his men have stayed verry Patiently till now, but that they will now go home—if this is to be the case the public money is bestowed to verry little purpose, and Patriotism at a verry low Ebb with those I Expected to find it, which give me no small Concern as I always have and would still wish to encourage such. I hope you will exert yourself and Endeavor to be more punctual for the future in Military matters, nothing is more necessary. I am Sir your most obedt. Humble Servt.

CAESAR RODNEY

Captn. Caldwell—

## CAESAR RODNEY TO GENERAL SMALLWOOD

Dover Februy 21st. 1778—

Dr. Sir

This letter will be delivered you by a Miss Langdell. Some five or six weeks ago from Philadelphia, Where her mother now Resides; This young Lady, who came here on a Visit to her Sister who married in this Town; now wants to return, and has applied to me for a Pass to carry her to the City, My not having so General a view of the propriety or impropriety of these matters as those who are Immediately Engaged in the Military Line. Induced me to refuse giving one, But Referred her to you who I know to be competant, and who, I am convinced, will decide in this case without Love, fear, favour or Affection Miss Langdell tells me she is to be accompanied by Mr. John Casson of this town he, I believe to be an honest man, but as he belongs to the Light-Horse here, and has been Verry active I think him greatly to blame in attempting it, However have not seen him.—

Your favour of the 18th was delivered me by Captain Lee, and be assured every assistance in my power shall be given him, I hope and believe they will act with prudence—The Militia to be sent from this County are ordered and the day fixed for their March, I wish they may more than answer my expectation, but Liberty, Freedom &c are but dull sounds in their Ears, and am afraid will not so sound as to be heard throughout the assembly; He that hath Ears to hear let him hear, let him hear or abide the Sentence. However I flatter myself there are a Majority now who are disposed to Emerge from the former Torpid State of the House—There seems to be many late manovoures of our Army which I don't seem able fully to account for, nor would I wish to know at the Risque of divulging that to the world which ought to be a Secret—It is Sufficient for me that I believe and trust everything is done for Best—I am dear sir, with my most Hearty wishes for your Success in your military Capacity and your personal Safety,

Yr. Most obedt. Humble Servant
CAESAR RODNEY

General Smallwood

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO HONORABLE THOMAS McKEAN. (Draft)

April 18th 1778—

Dear Sir

I Recd yours of the 8th instant by Mr. Robinson the Post. Am much pleased that the General Assembly have your approbation in their appointment of me to the Supreme command in this State, and do not doubt your willingness to tender me your best Services. I shall often stand in need of your advise-and shall thankfully Receive it whenever given—The General Assembly is still Setting. Much business in hand and but little finished as yet—In the House of Assembly we have a majority, of men disposed to do whatever they think tends most to support the American Cause, but Sir, They Labor under Some disadvantages, they are most of them new members, They want a Pen. They want you, business goes on Slow and the Slower too as they want Patience, added to all these inconveniences we are frequently alarmed. Our Situation is at best unsafe, and the General Assembly no small Object —I am in great hopes However that in a few days we shall have a Militia Law Through both Houses, Calculated to bring forth the Militia

on any Requisition of Congress nothing shall be wanting on my part whenever they are Regulated under the Law which will take some time—There is a Matter I would wish to mention to you as one of our Delagates, which, if Congress should approve and adopt, I think and am convinced would tend more to the Security of this little State than any other Plan in that way we can fall upon, and be of infinite advantage to the neighbouring States and indeed to the cause in general —You know Sir we have a verry considerable water frontier, bordering on which are our best grass & farm Lands well stocked, and a number of Salt works, not only necessary but convenient for the support of our army, which I hope will be large; this property so situated must be protected where they are, as there are no other grounds within the State that can subsist Stock, and the Salt works cannot be removed—Now I would wish and do think it highly Expedient, that Congress would Order an Independent Company of an hundred men on the plan of the one fixed at the Cape under Captain Perry—To be stationed in Kent at Such place or places as I shall from time to time direct, the company to be raised for one year at least—It may be said that it will better suit the Militia to defend this part of the Country, but sir I have got to be Tolerably asquainted with Militia in general and particularly with ours, and do know that so near to their homes they cannot be kept to duty, that subordination which know to be necessary cannot be maintained unless they are Joined and acting with Continentals—There fore could wish that this plan might be adopted, and that any number of the Militia which may be thought necessary to assist the Continental Army, and defend this river side, may all be sent to the army, for sure I am that one hundred men under Subordination will be of more service here, than all the Militia in the State—The night before last a part of the Militia of this County which I ordered out under Lt. Coll. Pope of Delaware, against Genl. China Clow, and his army of Refugees, came up with them on the Western Borders of this County, and verry soon routed Mr. Clow & his army, and burnt the fort—This Villian clow had about one hundred and fifty men, they left in the fort about a thousand weight of Bacon and two barrels of flower which they Stole—I Pray dont neglect the affair of the Company, I would wish Congress to Establish. I am Sir your most obt. Humbl. Servt

C RODNEY

Hon. Thomas McKean Esq.

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO PRESIDENT OF CONGRESS.

Dover April the 24th 1778

Hon. Sir.

I recd. you letter of the 15th instant relative to the Order of Congress for securing persons of Thomas White, Charles Gordon & others residenters of this State, and beg leave to give Congress by you, a Short State of the facts, and what has been construed to have given disgust to this Government concerning them;

These men were taken by order of General Smallwood in virtue of the Resolution of Congress, The Officer, sent on this business, was directed to apply to me for aid which was immediately afforded. The men taken and brought to Dover—In the mean time I was appointed President of the State. and Mr. White, protesting against the Legality of his being taken and carried out of the State without knowing the Offence with which he was charged and applying for relief. I laid the

matter before the General Assembly, then Setting, for their direction, who desired me to detain Mr. White untill they Considered of the matter, I issued an Order for this purpose and immediately advised General Smallwood thereof, as also that said White with Mr. Gordon had obtained of the Chief Justice an Habeas Corpus—General Smallwood thinking himself bound to Execute the Order of Congress Caused Mr. White to be brought to him—This procedure the General Assembly Countermanded because they had full confidence in Congress, and that, as they had a more general view of matters might see a danger unobserved by the Assembly. But Sir whatever may have been the Case with respect to the Assembly of this State in the opinion of Congress, I can venture to say that the present General Assembly, at least, a great majority of the Members are, and would wish to be thought as warm friends to the American Cause as any within the United States. And therefore cannot help thinking that Congress, for whom they have, and are determined to pay the highest respect, might have committed that important business to their Supreme Majistrate and that if aid was thought necessary, That Continental Troops might have been ordered to that purpose, for that, in their opinion, The consequences of the governing Powers of a State is so lessoned, in the Eyes of the people, by such procedure, as to prevent their being able to render these Essential Services, to the United States, they could wish, when called upon by Congress—

I am sorry to say, The suspicions Congress entertains of the disaffection of the people is too well founded, but as the people at large are generally directed by those at the Helm. Hope, they will soon mend—I trust nothing will be wanting, on my part, to Effect it, and that I shall, to the utmost of my power, as well comply with the Requisitions of Congress from time to time as to maintain the Honour and independence of this State. I am

Sir, with the greatest regard
for Congress your Honour's
most obedt Humbl Servt.
CAESAR RODNEY

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Dover April the 24th 1778

Sir

There is a Matter I intended, but Neglected to mention in my other Letter of this day—On Tuesday the fourteenth Instant I Got information that About one hundred and fifty Insurgents under the Command of one China Clow were Armed and Assembled on the Western side of this County near the borders of Maryland. I, as soon as possible Collected and Sent About one hundred and forty of the Militia of this County, under the Command of Lt. Col'l Pope of the Delawares, against them,—The Insurgents had built a Fort which the Militia Surrounded on the Thursday night following but Mr. Clow and his Gang, hearing of their approach, fled—The Militia burnt the Fort and secured all the Stolen Effects in and about it and Returned—I then fitted out a number of Horse-men, Since when many of them have been taken and others Surrendered to the number, in all, of about fifty, about twenty of whom being single men, are sent off with a recruiting party of the Delaware Regiment to enlist or do Worse—so that with what the Maryland Militia have done, this infernal set are, I believe, broke up, and hope to hear in a few days that the Villain Clow is taken.—I am Sir

Yr. Most obed't
Humb'e Serv't
CAESAR RODNEY

P. S. They increased verry fast and I believe, if they had not been opposed verry suddenly and with Spirit they would have become formidable in a Little time.

[Addressed:] The Hon'e public Service
HENRY LAURENCE Esquire
President of Congress
at
p Post Yorktown

[Indorsed:]
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Letter from C. Rodney gov'r
of Delaware April 24. 1778

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO GENL. DAGWORTHY (Draft)

Dover May the 7th 1778—

Sir

I am informed by the Judge of ye Admiralty, that the Court ordered the Cargo of the schooner Fortune to be sold in order to prevent waste and the Expence of Guards &c. That Colo. John Jones was appointed Marshel who had given Bond for the discharge of his duty as to the selling the Cargo and returning the monies to the Judge for distribution among such as should be considered and adjudged, by him, to have a just claim—That Mr. Jones in Virtue of this appointment had advertised the Cargo to be sold by him on Monday Next—The Judge now informs me that a lot of men under the name of a Committee have in Open Violation of the Civil Authority, undertaken not only to pull down the advertise-

ments of the Marshel but to set up others, under their authority, for the Sale of the Cargo aforesaid, As of tomorrow—

As I find by the depositions taken in the Court of Admiralty. That Captain of the schooner Surrendered the Veshel and Cargo to you as Commanding officer. I am not a little surprised that these people whoever they be, should have the possession of this Cargo unless by your authority—However, be that as it may, as Commanding officer, of the Militia you are by every means in your power Immediately put a stop to this Rioteous proceeding, and you are also by your authority to afford every necessary protection to the Marshal, And for that purpose, in case you should be too unwell to Act in person, You are Immediately to issue orders to your Inferior Officers, and report to me How you and Your officers shall have conducted yourselves in the premises.

(Not signed).

General Dagsworthy

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO THOMAS McKEAN (Draft)

Dover May the 8th 1778

Hon Sir

I received your favour of the 28th—I am apprehensive the Assembly will not continue to set more than a day or two. I know not the Cause But really think they might as well never have met for all they are likely to do—I certainly know this that I have been furnished with but one Bill yet to put the Seal to. Tho' they have been setting near Three Months. Shall be able to let you know more of this matter by the next Post, I wish to God you had been here to have lent them your assistance four weeks ago.

Mr. Thomas White is very anxious to have a hearing with respect to the Charge against him. When you think it can be done with propriety I Don't Doubt You'l Move it.—

We are Constantly Alarmed in this Place by the Enemy and Refugees, and seldom a day passes but some man in this and the neighboring Country is taken off by these Villians, so that many, near the Bay, Who I know to be hearty in the Cause, dare not neither act or speak least they should be taken away and their Houses plundered—These fears will certainly increase till some protection is afforded them; Therefore I must again solicit your moving Congress in the most Earnest manner, for the Company I mentioned in a former Letter—if it is obtained our persons and property may be tolerably safe, if not I must Decampt. I think Congress ought not to hesitate especially When you consider, that the number of Guards heretofore necessary to the defence of a people situate as we are, has exosted our funds, The practice of landing in small parties and taking men out of their Beds is so Villanious, and is so generally adopted by the Enemy, as may be sufficient to call the attention of Congress for Retaliation. Some punishment for this offence might be adopted by this State more properly were they in proper force for that purpose—The Three hundred men ordered for the Eastern Shore upon the plan you have mentioned, I have not heard of. However, Sure I am, if they are not stationed on the Delaware they will be of little or no Service to us—

Lord North's Speech is certainly the production of a King and Ministry hard pushed. and wicked even to the last. For tho' their salvation depended on their

acknowledgeing the Independence of America, and Entering into a Commercial Treaty with them—By their plan they are trying to divide us—However Virtue and firmness, will, with the blessings of God, as well frustrate them in this, as in all their other damnable projects to cajole and Enslave—Since I wrote you last a sloop drove ashore at the Cape Richly Laden with Wine, Spirits, Porter, Cheese and a great quantity of Dry-goods. The Cargo is all saved and supposed will sell for Sixty Thousand pounds. There were a great number of Letters from New York to Philadelphia. I have sent you a packet, all such of them as in the least, Speak of Politicks, There seems to be verry little of consequence even in them—We are still continueing the Recruiting Service and of course shall stand in need of the other Ten of the forty Thousand Dollars this State applied to Congress for, for that purpose, and granted by Congress and thirty thousand sent—let me know when we can have it and it shall be sent for—I just now got certain Inteligence from Port-Pen that ten people residenters in that Neck were taken off and carried on board of the Enemy's veshels Last Night—

CAESAR RODNEY

Honble Thomas McKean Esqr.

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO THOMAS McKEAN (Draft)

Newark June the 11th 1778.—

Honble Sir

I wrote from this place last Tuesday in a great hurry as the Post was waiting. Wherein I acknowledged the Rest of your favour of the 31st. of May. I mentioned to you the sudden departure of our Assembly men from the necessary business they had in hand unfd. but now mean to answer, by Mr. George Lattimer, Your Letter more fully—I have inclosed you the order of the Assembly in your favour. You will be pleased therefore to deduct the money. Enter a Rect on the back of the order, and deliver both the order and the ballance of the money to Mr. Lattimer who undertakes to bring it safe to Dover—You and I both have had our disagreeable moments with respect to the Completion of the Delaware State. However those, who dare presevere in Such days of Tryal cannot now be doubted.—We that dare acknowledge himself a whig, near the waters of the Delaware, where not only his property, but his person, is every hour in danger of being carried off, is a man in my opinion to be depended upon than a dozn. Whigs in security, you have had your days time of tryal here. You know how precarious their situation and you also know their firmness. They did not bear that proportion to the disaffected that I could have wished. Yet while they dare contend, I hoped Congress would not have Supposed the State lost—I thank God affairs now wear a different Complection and can I but have the Countenance, and Support of Congress which no doubt I shall, Civil Government, I am convinced will soon be in Such force as to cause those who have offended, to tremble. & I received from the president of Congress the Treaty of Amity & Commerce with the Resolution of Congress . . . . . before the rising of our General Assembly and laid them before the House Immediately with a message. This together with all the other Acts transmitted me by the President they have neglected to finish—Some indeed they have not as yet taken into Consideration.

The House of Assembly have passed a fee Bill in which they made an allowance, to each of the delegates in Congress of Three pounds per day, and sent it to the Council for Concurrance, But owing more to Ignorance than any Evil intention They have in the manner of doing it—Insulted the delegates by making it necessary for them to have a Certificate, from the Secretary, of their actual Attendance, The Council are for allowing them the same sum from the time they leave home till they return according to their own account rendered to the House, and it would have passed in that manner had not the Assembly gone off as mentioned before.—I have issued writs for calling them together again on Wednesday Next—When, if possible for you to come, You might render great Service—With respect to the Confederation, Our General Assembly, I think, Stand Some thing Excuseable in not furnishing you with Instruction on that head, as Congress have neither specially recommended it them, or even furnished them with a Copy, which probably has been done to the other States, perhaps it may have been neglected in consequence of their Thinking us Lost—However they had taken it up Just before they parted and when they take it up again they will no doubt furnish you with full Powers—I am just now informed from Camp That Congress have finished the Regulation of the army, be pleased therefore to Send me a Copy. Well knowing your situation—I have been urging the sending more Delegates to Congress, they have as yet appointed no person in my place. and you know that Mr. Vandike is not only a little unwilling to leave home so far but much engaged of . . . . . the General Assembly—If you think you cannot be spared to come down to Kent pray do not neglect to give me Every information and advice Respecting public matters—It is certain that the Commissioners are come for the purpose of treating, but hope Congress will not treat without they first acknowledge INDEPENDENCE. I don't understand the withdrawing their fleets & Armies unless they actually go back to England—Our whole army have moved three Miles nearer Philada., and am just informed that the British, Except the Grenadiers and light Infantry, are Encamped on the Jersey Shore, Their Fleet, consisting of one hundred and Seventy Sail at least lay between readen point and Bombay Hook, Except the Eagle, Irident, Phenix and two or three Armed Veshels.

I am with great Regard Your Honrs. Most Obdt. Humble Servt.

CAESAR RODNEY

The Honble Thomas McKean

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO JONATHAN B. SMITH. (Draft)

Dover August the 11th 1778.

Sir

I recd. yesterday Evening, a Letter from you dated the 15th of July last, Concerning the distruction of your farm Houses, and other buildings on Bombay-Hook—The loss to you is, no doubt, very considerable, and your submitting to such a sacrifice for the public good is a further proof of that Patriotism you have hitherto shown—It appears that Inhabitants of that Island were a wicked Set, and carried on, for a considerable time, a most Villainous and distructive trade with the Enemy, and were so situated between the other Inhabitants of this State and the Enemy that they could not be Easily prevented, which, I make no doubt, was the cause of

this severe Step—But Sir it was not done by any order of mine or any resolution of this State—We were not, at that time, in force to have done it, and defend our other Posts from the incursions of the Enemy and their abettors, the Refugees—who were on our Coast from one end of the State to the other—I am informed, and believe the fact is, that it was done by a party of Continental Troops from Wilmington under the Command of Coll. Pope, who I presume had his orders from General Smallwood. I make no doubt that some Individuals of the Militia, who lived hear the place and had Suffered by them, went over to the Island with, and assisted the Continental Troops—I am much Concerned whenever the opperations of War are such as make it necessary to sacrifice the property of Whigs. When rascally Tories are accumulating wealth for which they are clamering, and indeed obtaining the protection of that Government they never sought to Establish—

I am with great regard Sir, your most Obedt Humble

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CAESAR RODNEY-

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO THE PRESIDENT OF CONGRESS. (Draft)

Dover August the 24th 1778.

Hon Sir

Mr. McKinly the late President of this State Informs me that General Clinton has Enlarged him, on Parole, for one month, from the fifth of this Instant, in order to Effect an Exchange for Mr. Franklin late Governor of the State of New Jersey—That the proposed Exchange has been laid before Congress, by Mr. McKinly, for their approbation—That the matter was taken up, Debated upon and, for some Reasons, postponed on Thursday last—Mr. McKinly also says that, one objection was that, no application had been made in his favour by the authority of this State—With respect to the application to Congress in his favour. The President and Privy Council were not advised of the Measure and therefore could not apply—The other reasons why Congress have not acceded to the proposed Exchange I cannot Judge of, as they have not been Communicated to me—Certainly Congress, who have the most Extensive View of these Matters, can best Judge of the propriety of Exchangeing Mr. Franklin—However so far as Mr. McKinly's conduct and services from the beginning of this great Contest to the Declaration of the Independence, In adopting and Enforcing the Resolutions of Congress from time to time, both as a Member of Assembly and Member of Committee, His Activity as an officer in the Militia, his obtaining Subscriptions and collecting Money for the Poor of Boston, Will recommend him to the favour of Congress and the good opinion of all other friends to our glorious Cause. I am persuaded he is deserving—Soon after the Declaration of Independence and the adopting the present Constitution of this State. Mr. McKinly was appointed President, from that appointment until he was taken Prisoner, all his Letters and orders to me as commanding officer of the Militia breathed the same Spirit of Patriotism—I cannot pretend to Judge of Mr. McKinly's Secret Intention or wish, But his public Services, in this great Contest, induces me to wish him restored to his Liberty—Colo. Bedford and Colo. Latimer fully concur with me in this.

The other two members of the Privy-Council are absent, one in the State of Maryland the other with a Sick family.—

I am with Great respect & Esteem Your Hon's

Most obedt. Humble Servt.

CAESAR RODNEY

The President of Congress

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO DELEGATES IN CONGRESS. (Draft)

Dover Augst. the 24th 1778.

Gentlem.

On application of Mr. McKinly, and taking into consideration his distressed situation and the Services he has heretofore Rendered in our contest, tho I do not althogether approve his conduct, I have wrote the President of Congress Soliciting his Exchange, would therefore refer you to the Letter and, so far as you think you can with propriety, would wish you to lend your Aid in bringing it about, he is an old man and can hdly support himself under his present misfortune.

While I am Speaking of an Exchange give me leave to mention to you a worthy active man in the American Cause, Now a Prisoner on Long Island and, as I am Informed, much distressed, I mean Silas Snow, a Captain in the Militia, he was taken in the dead of night out his warm bed by the refugees and Carried on board of Ship without Cloths, or Money &c. There are now prisoners of this State and on Parole in Philadelphia a Captain Nowls, a Captain Burrows and Mr. Young a Merchant, why might not one of these be Exchanged for him? In short he was so servicable that rather than not have him I would give them all—Major Hodgson was also taken off. Should be glad he could be Exchanged.

I am Gentm. Your Most Obedt. Humb Servt

CAESAR RODNEY

Messrs. McKean & Vandike
Delegates in Congress

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO PRES. OF CONGRESS.

Dover Nov. the 4th 1778.

Sir

Yesterday Evening I received your favour of the first Instant by Express.

I suppose there can be little doubt that the Package Marked Delaware is filled with Manifestoes from the British Commissioners, if so, would not be at the trouble of opening them for the Contents.

In my letter of the 27th of October I informed your Excellency that I had laid before the General Assembly, then Sitting, the several Acts of Congress inclosed with your Letters of the 7th and 13th together with the Confederation and that I should take the Earliest opportunity to make Congress acquainted with their determination—I am now to inform Congress and it is with Concern I do it. That by some Means or Other in the Course of Yesterday and the day before, the Members of the House of Assembly have dispersed and thereby the House disolved with out having Compleated any one . . . . . of business laid before them. It seems they had adjourned from Saturday to Monday that on Monday a sufficient number did not

meet to make a House, that on Tuesday the others got impatient and went off, but be that as it may, this procedure of theirs laid me under the necessary of immediately Calling the Privy Council and lay an embargo for thirty days to take place at the Expiration of the present Assembly. This is all we can do touching that business—At the meeting of the Council I intend issuing writs to call the General Assembly together on the fourth day of January next, but if Congress thinks their meeting at a Shorter day Absolutely Necessary, Should be glad They would let me know it by the First of this month that I may then propose it to the Council.

No new appointment of Representatives in Congress for this State has been made. Mr. Vandike tells me he will attend Congress in a few days. The Manifestoes of Congress Shall be made public.

I am Your Excellency's
Obedient and Most
Humble Servant.
Ceasar Rodney.

Library of Congress.

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO GENL. WASHINGTON (Draft)

Dover Jany the 27th 1779—

Sir

Your favour of the 19th instant came to hand, by Express, the 23rd in the afternoon, I immediately laid it before the General Assembly who are now taking order in the matter, be assured nothing in my power to aid the Quarter Master shall be wanting—

I am apprehensive Your Excellency must have been misinformed with respect to the County of Sussex being able to maintain a part of the Horse. They have no forage but what is taken from the Indian Corn and Salt Marshes. The Indian Corn has produced verry little this year owing to a Storm before the time of gathering—The Counties of Newcastle & Kent will be able to maintain a considerable number, and believe the Quarter Master have got Stables, already Erected sufficient for Polaskis Legion—Mr. Quarter Master Wade has not yet called upon me—

I am with great regard, Your Excellency's obedt. and most
Humble Servant
CAESAR RODNEY

His Excellency
GENERAL WASHINGTON

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO ———

Dover February the 3rd 1780.

Sir

With the monies now put into your hands you are immediately to Enter upon the recruiting business and as a Peace and the Terms of it will much depend on our having a respectable army ready to take field with the parties under your

direction early in the season. You are to use every Exertion to fill the Regiment of this State.

You are to enlist none but those who are able Bodied and fit for service and carefully to avoid any British or Foreign deserters;

You are to send your recruits to Wilmington, Dover or Lewes to be mustered immediately after enlisting them, and you are to advance as little of the Bounty to them as possible untill they are mustered.

As it is your duty to treat the Inhabitants of this state with respect, and as your gaining their confidence and good opinion will tend to aid you in this most essential Service, I expect you will pay strict attention to the conduct of the parties under your direction and suffer them by no means to insult or illtreat any. But on all occasions to aid the Civil authority when properly called upon for that purpose.

Whenever you stand in need of a further supply of money for the service, you are to apply to me for it, and frequently advise me of your success and the State of the business.

You are to apprehend secure and take the most effectual method of sending to Camp all such deserters from the Continental Army as may fall in your way, and to proceed against all those who may be found to harbour such deserters in the manner directed by and Act of Assembly of this State constituting it an offence.

As you have hitherto given the most convincing proofs of your attachment to the Liberty and Indepencende of this Country. I am persuaded you will discharge this most important duty with Honor to yourself and satisfaction to the State—I wish you success, and believe me Sir, with great regard, your most obedt. Humble Servant.

CAESAR RODNEY.

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CAESAR RODNEY TO ——— (Draft)

Dover March the 8th 1779.

Sir

Your favour of the 7th Ulto. came to hand in as little time after the date as could have been expected, and should have done my self the pleasure of Answering it, long before this, had I not been informed by the officers here that you was expected down by the first of this month—I recd a return of the Delaware Regiment, in your letter, and you have not only my approbation of your conduct in that matter, but my thanks for the strick attention you have paid to the discharge of your Duty in that Station, tho Temporary, and could wish that that kind of information to Government, was thought necessary to be given more frequently than it is—It is with much pleasure I hear the Regiment is rather healthy than otherwise and hope sincerely that the officers commanding the Regiment will spare no pains to obtain the articles you mention, from the Clothier General's Store, as it will not be in our present situation, be in my power to order them from here; However as there is now a Clothier appointed by this State for that Regiment, I hope they will be better provided for in future—The General Assembly have ordered the sum of eighty pounds to be paid immediately to each officer for his past deficiency, and hereafter to be found at the rates goods were when the officers pay was ascertained—You mention the credit that would arise to the State and the

advantage to the officers in case of more ample provisions made for them than here to fore.

In answer to this, it is my sincere wish that the United States had it in their power to make a provision, for all those who have drawn their Swords in defence of American Liberty and Independence, Equal to their Honorable and Patriotic Employment, which would far exceed even what is now allowed them. and I must confess that, in this general wish, I have a partiallity for the Delawares—But will youth contend with age, when unto age belongeth wisdom? —Will not the weak Bow down before the Mighty, when unto them belongeth strength? and therefore, Will the little Delaware State, Vie with the Antient Dominion? I think never-the-less that your ambition is a Laudable Ambition and ought to Encouraged by every friend to the American Cause.—

Pray make my Compliments to all the Delaware Officers, particularly to Colo. Pope, if he be there.

I am Sir, with much Esteem,
Your Most Obedt. Humble Servt.
CAESAR RODNEY.

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CAESAR RODNEY TO HON. JOSEPH REED ESQ. (Draft)

Dover 13th March 1779—

Sir,

Three days ago I received your Excellency's favor of the 21st Ulto. relative to the depredations the Enemy have committed upon our coasts, and the Resolution your State hath taken to make a vigorous exertion in order to give them a check.

Your Excellency may be assured of our readiness to aid, by our Councils, the measures your State are engaged in. At present there are few, vessels if any in our Ports, and the Embargo on Provisions operates with us as a general one. However, if a general Embargo should be found necessary, the privy Council will no doubt readily concur with me in the measure for the sake of union,—and in the meantime directions will be given to the several Collectors, not to clear out any outward bound vessels until further Orders from me.

With respect to a union of Force; that matter will rest intirely with the Generaly Assembly, which lately adjourned, after a long Session, and is not to meet before the 17th May—I shall expect to hear from you, and hope your Excellency's Letter will meet with a Quicker passage than the last.

I am with great Regard, Your Excellency's obedt.
and most Humble. Servant
CAESAR RODNEY

His Excellency Joseph Reed Esq.

## CAESAR RODNEY TO JOHN DICKINSON? (Draft)

Dover April the 17th 1779

Sir

Some seventeen or Eighteen months ago. General Smallwood, in Virtue of and order of Congress, Seized and imprisoned Thomas White Esquire of this State on Suspicion, as is said, that he held Correspondence with the Enemy—Mr. White is still under Parole to General Smallwood, and therefore wishes, if they have any thing to alledge against him, to have a hearing, or to be discharged—as his request seems to be reasonable, you will be pleased to move Congress for that purpose—Mr. White's papers are in the hands of the Honb. Nicholas VanDike Esqr.

I wish you would Endeavour to know how Captain Silas Snow and Mr. Robert Hodgson, late residenters of the State and now prisoners on Long-Island, are provided for, and what probability there is of their being Exchanged—There was Captain Knowls and Mr. Young, prisoners of this State and whose Paroles I now have, Sent to Philadelphia, I think they ought to have been Exchanged for Snow & Hodgson and wrote to our Delegates to that Effect, but have not heard from them concerning it—Captain James Moore and Lieutenant Hyatt of the Delaware Regiment are also prisoners with the enemy and on Long-Island.

I must beg leave to mention to you a matter which gives me and, I think, must give every real friend to American Independence Great Concern—I mean the management in the Quarter-Masters and Commissaries departments—The prices now given and likely to be given for every kind of forage, and provisions together with the Expences of Transporting are so Enormous that I much fear they will in the end, if a remedy cannot be fallen upon, tend verry much, if not Effectually to ruin one of the most glorious Causes a people ever were engaged in—It is difficult to know how these people manage their business, but it appears strange to me that they should necessarily be obliged to give such Extravagant Prices. When there is no other Market for those articles—but be this as it may, I must beg leave to submit it to you Whether every purchaser in the Quarter-Master's and Commissaries departments to, being obliged to submit his accounts to, and obtaining the Certificates of their having passed the Inspection of the Supreme Executive Authority comprehending the district to which they belong. or such other as they or the Congress might constitute for that purpose—would not in Some Measure be a remedy—for tho' people in General are not willing to become informers, they are generally free to say the Truth when called upon, Especially where they are known and can have an Easy access. However it appears Clearly to me that there is an evil, and would wish to submit the contriving a remedy to the wisdom of Congress—I am persuaded that you have seen & heard enough of this matter to be convinced that the public are much Injured, and your own good sence will better direct you how to remove the Injury than I possibly can—I rest assured that you will, from time to time, let me know, so far as this State ought to know, how matters go on in Congress, and that you will freely give me your friendly advice in Conducting the business of my department, your advice, especially as you are now situate, may Cause my acts, the better to correspond with my wishes for the public wellfare. you will pleased to make any Compliments to Misssrs. Dickinson, Miss Norris & Miss Sally, and believe me to be Sir, your most obedt.

and most Humbel Servt

C RODNEY

## CAESAR RODNEY TO CO. JOHN JONES

Dover July the 24th 1779.

Sir/

I am informed by Congress that Captn. Young on the 18th instant landed at Senepuxent 64 Prisoners taken on board the British Sloop of War Harlem by Captain Barry &c that when landed Colo Purnal, Col Handy or Handley & Mr. John Bailiff were applied to take them in charge, but that they had not-Congress have therefore requested of me that, in Case they shall not have been secured and sent to Annapolis. I would order a Sufficient Guard to take them into Custody and have them sent to Philadelphia at the most Moderate expence possible and that the Expences shall be paid immediately on their arrival at Phila.—You are therefore as Genl. Dagsworthy, I understand, is from home, first to know whether they are secured and sent to Annapolis, if not immediately to order a Guard of about 20 men from your Regt. direct their being sent to the lower end of this State. Where your Guard may take charge of and bring them to the lower end of this County or to Dover, and there deliver them to a Captain and guard with an account of Wages and Expences which account is to be delivered to me so that the money may be had of congress for their use.—This letter goes by an Express by whom you may forward a message to the Neighbourhood of Senepuxent in order to have the prisoners Conveyed to this State—you may also direct this Express to wait for and bring you an answer—You will be pleased to pay due attention to these Orders immediately on the Receipt of them, and inform me as soon as possible what you shall have done therein.

I am Sir yr. most Obedt. and most Hble Sert.

C. RODNEY

P. S. Gl. Waine with the L. I. has taken sword in hand the Fort at Stoney Point on ye N. River with ye. whole Garrison consisting of 500 men 15 Pieces Cannon all ye Stores &c this is Published by Congress and may be depended upon.

(Copy)

Co. John Jones

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO THOS, McKEAN

Dover May the 12th 1780

Sir

The refugee Boats have taken many of our shallops, and also a great number of people belonging to this State all of whom as well passengers as others they have laid under parole to appear at New York within thirty days from the time of signing the parole—many of whom seem to show an inclination to go there. I should be glad to have the opinion of Congress, through you, how far this plan of their's ought to be complied with, or whether the executive authority of the State ought

to interfere in it, least under pretence of being under parole a great number of the inhabitants may establish an intercourse with the enemy injurious to the State. Be pleased to let me hear from you as soon as possible.

I am Sir

Your most Obed't
Humbe Servant
CAESAR RODNEY

Hon'o Thos. McKean

P. S.—I am in want of a few blank Commissn's & Bonds for fitting out armed Vessels &c—be pleased to contrive me some

[Addressed:] The Hon'd Thomas McKean Esqr.
Mr. Bell Philadelphia

[Indorsed:] No. 41
Letter from Gov. r. Rodney
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## CAESAR RODNEY TO GENERAL WASHINGTON. (Draft)

Dover June the 3d 1780.

Sir

Major John Patten of the Delaware Regiment informs me that there are four vacancies of Ensigns in the Regiment, and that taking into consideration two of the officers being at this time Prisoners, it is necessary there should be some new appointments made, two least—As the Congress have advised the States to make no new appointments without first consulting your Excellency on the propriety of the Measure, and as the General Assembly are to meet next week, I would, as soon as possible, wish to have your advise in the matter. I am your Excellys

Most Obedt and Most Humb Servant
CAESAR RODNEY

His Excellency
General Washington

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO GENERAL WASHINGTON. (Draft)

Dover June 22d 1780.

Sir:

In consequence of the Requisition of Congress. The Committee of Co-operation and your Excellency Transmitted to me and laid before the General Assembly of this State. I beg leave to inform your Excellency that they have passed the following acts to wit: "An Act for furnishing the Continental Treasury with the sum of One Hundred and Thirty two Thousand Eight hundred Dollars by Loan on the Credit of the State—An Act for immediately Embodying Three hundred

and fifteen of the Militia of this State for the purpose of reinforcing the Army of the United States and to continue in Service untill the first Day of November next unless sooner discharged—An Act for procuring an immediate Supply of Provisions, Waggons, Horses &c. within this State for the Army of the United States." The above are the only Acts passed during their Setting that I think necessary to make your Excellency acquainted with—At the Request of the General Assembly I have inclosed you a Copy of a Resolution entered into by them. I am, with the highest Esteem and respect,

Your Excellency's most obedt. Humb
Servant
CAESAR RODNEY

His Excell'y Genl Washington

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO THE HON. BOARD OF WAR. (Draft)

Dover July the 7th 1780.

Gentn.

By Sergeant Eshom I have sent a James Cooke and a John Bryan of the Delaware Regiment. They have hitherto behaved so ill that the officers of the Regiment when they Marched to the Southward left them here, and advised their being put on board one of the Continental Frigates, if you approve of this you will be pleased to order the necessary Steps to be taken for that purpose if not, I would submit it to the Board whether it will not be best to order them to Join some Regiment in the Pensylvania Line, until they may have an opportunity to Join their own Regiment now in South Carolina—It may be necessary that the Sergeant, who is ordered here on the recruiting service, should have a rect. for them—I am Yours

C RODNEY

The Hon. Board of War

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO CONGRESS (Draft)

Dover July the 24th 1780.

Sir

Your letter of the 29th of June, with the resolutions of Congress inclosed. I did not receive until yesterday at 12 o'clock, How it has been thus delayed I cannot say. However I have wrote you several times since the adjournment of the General Assembly those letters may in some measure answer the one now received—I have now to inform Congress that the Troops, directed to be raised from the Militia of this State to form a Regiment, are under marching orders for Wilmington, where I expect they will be verry soon assembled in order to march from thence and Join the army of the United States. and as the Board of War has promised

to have Arms and accoutrements ready for them, on their arrival at Philadelphia. I have advised them that the Troops are in motion.

I am your Excellys Most obedt Humble
Servant

CAESAR RODNEY

His Excellency
The President of Congress

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO THE BOARD OF WAR.

Dover Augt. 25th 1780.

Gentn.

Captain Smith of the Regiment Raised from the Militia of this State has with him 25 Men collected since the others marched, he has orders to call upon the Board, have them equipped, and then to join the Regiment as soon as possible, Three of those men, to wit, Thomas Wells, John Winright, & Lowder Calloway—have since they engaged to serve in this, inlised in the Delaware Regiment, Captain Smith has orders to report them as such to your Honors so that when the Term of this Regiment is Expired they may be turned over to the Delaware's and also to report a certain John Stevens . . . . . a Soldier lately deserted from the Delaware Regiment—

Yrs C RODNEY

Honble Board of War

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO THOMAS RODNEY

Dover, Sept. 3'rd. 1780

Sir,

We have within a few days past had several very alarming accounts from the Southward, by way of Wilmington, Christiana Bridge &c. Some are that the whole of the Maryland Line, which no doubt includes the Delawares are cut off; others, that a few escaped. Yesterday afternoon I received an account of this matter from Gen'l. Patterson in writing. It is the most favourable of any and yet too shocking for an American ear. He thus relates it. "That on the 10'th of August at night General Gates marched to surprize General Cornwallis at Camden, That the enemy also marched the same night to surprize Gen'l. Gates, that the armies by their scouts discovering each other lay on their arms till day. That the two armies then met within eight miles of Camden when the whole engaged; that our people drove the enemy and took two field pieces that then, which I think is unlikely, nine hundred of our militia went off the field, which the enemy seeing rallied, being then much superior, and a most bloody engagement came on with bayonets, that our

people in the confusion were surrounded, the Maryland line cut all to pieces; Gen'l De Kalb supposed to be killed—Gen'l. Smallwood killed—Gen'l Gist killed—Col. Gunby killed. Gen'l Gates with persuasion brought off by his aids-—said about 400 only escaped—besides the above militia." These accounts have filled the people in general here with deep concern, but it is impossible to paint the distress of those who have friends and connexions in that little but brave band of officers. I wish you would furnish me with the particulars of this affair as fully as possible. Endeavor to know whether Johnny Willson has fell or not. Sally is greatly distressed and I think she could not suffer much more if he certainly has fell. Your situation is such that I am disappointed in your not writing to me on a matter of such importance before now. My love to Betsey & the children.

I am, Sir, yours, &c &c

CAESAR RODNEY

Hon Thos. Rodney

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## CAESAR RODNEY TO TIM'Y PICKERING (Draft)

Dover Sepr. the 12th 1780

Sir

Some three or four days ago I received your Letter of the 24th Ulto. informing me that you had appointed Donaldson Yates Esqr., of the Eastern Shore of Maryland to be deputy Quarter master for the States of Delaware and Maryland, and requesting the approbation of the Executive authority, so far as the appointment respected this State—In answer to that part of your letter I have inclosed you a Copy, from the Minutes, of the President & Privy Councils determination—I very much approve of your plan with respect to the Transportation of Supplies from this State therefore if his Excellency the Commander in Chief, shall think proper to countermand his order as to the place of deposit except the article of wheat to be manufactured into flour, and you will make that known to me. I will immediately give orders to the receivers to forward the Supplies to Trenton—I shall issue orders to the receivers concerning the article of Horses.

I am yrs.

C. RODNEY

Tim'y Pickering Esqr Q. M. G.

## GEORGE READ TO MAJOR GEN. RODNEY.

Dover 21st. December 1777.

Sir

I have this moment received Information by Letter from His Excellency General Washington, that he has Reason to believe that the Enemy mean to establish a Post at Wilmington for the Purpose of countenancing the Disaffected in the Delaware State, drawing Supplies from our country, and securing a Post upon the Delaware River during the Winter; that he has detached General Smallwood with a respectable Continental Force to take a Post at Wilmington, but this he apprehended may not be adequated to the Business, therefore he expects that I will call out as many Militia of this State as I possibly can to rendezvous without Loss of Time at Wilmington, and put themselves under the Command of General Smallwood—In Consequence of this Application I must desire that you will forthwith issue your Orders to the Officers of the Militia, particularly of your County, to examine into the State of the Arms & Accoutrements of the Men, that the same be put into the best Order that your Circumstances will admit and be prepared to march upon the first Notice—.The General Assembly have ordered that the Six Hundred Militia, directed to be raised by the Resolution of Council of the 29th October last, should be continued for other two Months in the Service of the State, therefore I desire that you would issue your Orders for compleating the Companies, particularly those of Kent County, As I expect that you will, upon the first Notice of the Enemy's Attempt to seize the Post at Wilmington order the march of that Corps of Men as well as such of the Militia of Kent as may be got together.—I rely on your paying a particular Attention to the State of the whole Militia and issuing such Orders as you may deem necessary for complying with the Requisition of General Washington; and in Case of ordering forth the whole Militia I would recommend the Mode prescribed in the Act for establishing a Militia in this State for making a Signal of Alarm, to be adopted, that we may have it in our Power to punish Delinquents—I have wrote to Bridadier Dagworthy mentioning the Purport of General Washington's Letter with Directions to examine into the State of the Militia, their Arms &c. and have them ready to march on the first Notice, and to proceed in the raising and compleating of the two Companies of the afsd. Six Hundred, that had been alloted as Sussex County's Quota.—I shall write to General Patterson to the same Purpose, and I am, with great Regard, Your most Humble Servant,

GEO. READ

Major General Rodney.

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Mr. Willard S. Morse, Seaford, Del.

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## GEO. READ TO MAJOR GENL. RODNEY.

Dover November 1st 1777.

Sir,

I inclose you a Copy of certain Resolutions entered into by the Legislature of this State with the Approbation of thirteen of the Members of the Assembly signified by their subscribing the same, as they could not nor did not form a House

to do Legislative Acts—The critical Situation of the State, having the Enemy on its borders without any armed force to repel their Attacks induced the Council to adopt the Measures contained in the Resolutions afsd.—therefore I must request you forthwith to proceed in the Nomination of the Officers, and raising of the Quota of Militia assigned for Kent County agreeable to the Scheme and General Orders of Mr. President McKean of the 14th of October last transmitted to you, and that you do appoint a Commissary to supply them with Rations of 1 lb. Meat, 1 lb. Bread or Flour, and ½ a Gill of Brandy or Whiskey per man per day,—3 Pecks of Potatoes for 6 Men per week, or other vegetables in Proportion, 1 Gill of Salt per man per week and 5 lb. Candles for 50 Men per Week for Guards &c.

These Militia when raised are to be employed under you Direction and order in protecting and defending the Inhabitants of the State and their Property from the Attacks and Depredations of the Enemy—In preventing and putting a Stop to all Traffick or Intercourse with the Enemy and generally in opposing and distressing the Enemy by every Way and mean and also to aid the Civil Magistrate when called upon, in the due Execution of Laws—I have not appointed any Person as Paymaster for your Quota of Troops but leave this to be done by you in such Way as you judge best for the Publick Interest—

By the 2d Resolution of the Legislative Council I am directed to draw the Sum of £5000 out of your Hands as Trustee of the Loan Office for Kent County, this I must do by partial Draughts from time to time—I now inclose a Draught for £500 in Favour of Brigadier General Dagworthy which you are to pay to his order when called upon—Another for £1500 in favour of George Latimer Esqr. for the Pay and Subsistance of the Quota of Militia to be raised in New Castle County—I am well convinced of your zeal for and Attention to the welfare of the State and therefore desire that you will as Commanding Officer of the whole Militia give such Directions from Time to Time as you may judge necessary for the Rendering the service of the 600 Militia afsd. or any other part of the Militia in this State, you may order forth to support them, as useful and effectual for the Protection and Defence of the State as may be—I wish you Success in this busineess and am with great respect Your Most obedient Servt.

GEO. READ Vice President
of the Delaware State.

P. S. You are to consider the March and Rendezvous of the Kent Quota at Middletown in the New Castle County as directed by Mr. President McKean to be revoked.—G. R.

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## THOMAS RODNEY TO GENL. PUTNAM

Chester Tuesday decr. 18th 1776

I have inclosed all the prints that I have got—There is a hand bill of Congress insisting The people in the warmest terms to turn out and defend their Country—There is a bounty of 7 dollars to Ten given by the Assembly of Pennsylvania to all the Militia that will Turn out—I have seen a great number of officers from Camp no two of which Tell the same story about one fact—I have heard that Lee has joined Washington—again that Washington has crossed into Jersey—again that none of these things have hapened—again that Lee has given the Enemy a drubing, again that Lee is Taken prisoner—and again that the enemy has retreated before

him &c.—And the news of this day is that Lee is actually Taken—I had this information from Col. Price & two other Maryland Officers this afternoon, viz. that Genl. Lee heard 4000 Hessians, were coming to attack him—that he took 11 men, & went 4 miles from his camp to reconitre them & puts up at the House of a Tory who gave the Enemy word of his situation—that How immediately sent off 70. Light Horse who Took him Prisoner & rode of with him without giving him time to git his hat That Genl. Washington rec'd this acct. from Genl. Sullivan by Express—That Col. Stone had this from Washington & then officers from him—But I believe none of all this—nor anything I have heard since I Left Kent—nobody knows any thing about the designs or actions of the General & yet every body seems to know everything—It was reported as a fact at New Castle that I was taken very sick at Cross Roads & turned back—& a few Hours before we arrived at Wilmington it was affirmed that all the Company had got discouraged & gone home again—Judge of the rest by this—we are all at Chester now in very good Health and the highest spirits—and we have had the pleasure on our way of receiving the prayers & blessings of men women & Children—the whigs sincere & the Tories disembling—& the Country seem inspired with new spirit as we come—newcastle County is orusing fast. Three Companies have marched already—and many more will in a few days—Pennsylvania is marching in by 100 dreds & by 1000's—The Best judgment I can form of the Situation of the Army—Is that Lee has about Ten thousand men (this upon the information of Genl. Miffln to a Lady in this Town who told me she had from him the day before yesterday) and is well posted about 25 miles from the Enemy—That Genl. Washington has about 16000 men extending from opposite Trent Town several Miles up the River—That the Enemy continue from Trent Town to Prince Town &c—That Genl. Gates is at or over the North River bring'g. up 3,000 Regulars & 8000 Militia to Reinforce Genl. Lee &c. They took 12 Light Horse which were wounded. into Phila. last Saturday—We met the Philada. Tories and other Prisoners under Guard today going to Baltimore—I could go on a half Hour longer but cut the ball of my fore finger with handle of a knift and it prevents my being able to hold the pen any longer for this time but hope by the first opertunity after Tomorrow to give some information that you may rely on—but this for the present I think Philada is and will be safe this campaign—My love to Betsey & the Children & all friends

THOMAS RODNEY
Genl. Putnam Command in Philada

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## THOMAS RODNEY TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Wilmington Septr. 5th 1780.

Sir

I wrote you an account of the Battle to the Southward as the inteligence came to hand, which was intended to be sent by Mr. Hill who was at Dover about his wheat, but he went by without My seeing him, and the first opertunity I had afterwards was by Mr. Coakley, who (as I was informed by Mr. Banning & Pryor) did not git down till yesterday tho he said he should be down the day before—The accounts at that Time were very uncertain & I waited with great anxiety to git a more perfect account before I sent of my Letter knowing very well that the

friends and relations of the Delawares would be greatly distressed on hearing the wild and extravagant reports circulating—Since I wrote last Col. Ramsey has been in this Town—Says he saw Genl. Gates letter to Congress—That it contain'd only a very Uncertain account of the Action for when our Line Charged the Enemy with fixed Baynets (which was done by the Line with such success that they got several pieces of the Enemies artillery) the Militia got into disorder and the Generl. retiring to rally them the British Horse took advantage of their confusion, broke through the line and Routed them & the Genl. being thus separated from the Army in the heat of Action was pursued by a party of Horse 24 or 25 Miles, which was the reason he could give no certain account How it Terminated But expected from the circumstances mentioned that they were totally Routed. Some Gentleman (said to be one of the Engineers) has passed up since (but I did not see him) who says that there were only 900 of Our Regular Troops Engaged in the Action, that some where between four and five hundred of these were killed and taken prisoners, and that the rest made a safe retreat and that in Killed the British suffered much more than our army. That the remainder of the army which was the greater part, Artillery, &c. were in the rear 20 or 30 miles, I have some hope the Delawares were among these but cannot learn particularly—These favourable accounts are much increased in Credit by the Accounts Doctr. or Parson, Montgomery gives—He left the Army the 3d of August, 70 miles from Camden; and says that the whole of the different Detachments & the main army consisted of ten Thousand Men, that they had been scant of provisions but were then plentifully supplyed and in very High Spirits—That there was only three British Regiments in Carolina—that one of them was in Charles-Town and Two with Lord Cornwallace—the Rest of his force (Except some Cavalry) was Refugees and Tories, this I had from himself. That you may have all the inteligence that has come to hand at this time I have inclosed you the Baltimore paper of the 29th Ult.—There is a Schooner here which arrived the end of last week in Seven Weeks and five days from Nants & LOrient by which several packets and a great number of Letters for Congress. The French Minister, Counsul, and Commanders, as well as to many Gentlemen and Merchants all of which we forwarded by Express on Saturday to, as afsd. The passengers (several gentlemen) that came in this vessel inform us that the Brest part of the second Division of the French fleet with five thousand men on board Sailed before they did, and were to be Joined in some certain Lattitude &c. by the other 6 or 8 Ships of the Line from Toulon which had also sailed, but they saw nothing of them on their passage—The disturbances in England, Ireland and Scotland still rage in such a Manner that the King has thought proper to Secure himself in the Castle of Winsor—And their was a report in France when this vessel sailed that he had fled to Hanover—

Wednesday 6th

This day I shall set of To Philada. probably by Mr. Banning shall have an opertunity of writing you more particularly of the late action.

I am &c

THOMAS RODNEY

His Excelle. Caesar Rodney, Esqr.

P. S. I Just mentioned to you that Mr. Montgomery informs us that the Delaware Officers have been greatly distressed for want of Cash, and we are now seting afoot subscription in this place to send them by way of Present (by Mr. Montgomery

or the first safe opertunity) an immediate Supply of Cash, I would wish that some active Whigs would promote the same thing in Kent & Communicate the same to Sussex—Mr. Rumford & myself subscribed two thousand Dollars for this purpose and suppose others will follow in proportion &c. Robinson not come yet—

T. R.

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## THOMAS RODNEY TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Wilmington Sept, 12th 1780.

Sir

I wrote you at Philada. by Mr. Banning and then mentioned that the Delawares were not in the Action to the Southard which I was convinced of then by the best information I could git in Philada. but by the inclosed Copy of a Letter from Capt. Hagon of one of the Maryland Regiments it appears otherwise—Tho in other respects his Acct. Seem very inaccurate and uncertain—He does not mention what persons are killed or wounded, nor who, nor what number has excaped; and by his manner of expression it is Uncertain whether only one Captn. or more are made prisoners, but I suppose only one; and as he has mentioned the officers at least the number made prisoners I should supposed he would have mentioned those that were kiled if he had known of any—His letter is dated the 22d and Governor Caswells the 23 whose account I mentioned in my last—We make no doubt but in a few days we shall have a particular account of this matter from some of our Officers—

25 Baggs of Coffee—25 Baggs of Cocoa & 2 Baggs of Cotton of the Genl. Gates Cargo Came in by the St. Patrick—Both Cargoes were Divided to Day among the Owners and Your Share was Left in the Hands of Mr. Rumford and he wishes to have your directions about it—

We are informed that a Certain Donalson Yates of Maryland is appointed a Q. Master for this State as well as Maryland, which (If I recollect the plan of Congress) is inconsistant with it—And as the citizens of this State gits very few appointments out of it I think it is but just they should have the benefit of those in it unless no fit person could be found—I believe there is several fit persons in the State that would accept of this appointment but I shall only mention Captn. Kain and would wish if this matter is not already settled by the Executive of this State in whose power it chiefly is, that our own citizens might have a performance in this matter, I have no doubt it is in your power to do what you think best—As you know Captn. Kain I shall only ad this that being a very modest man he is too backward to apply himself—

It was reported here to day that you have recd a letter from Major Patton, if its so we shall be glad to hear what he writes—It is very healthy up here, as Mr. —— informs you are unwell and that it is sickly down there I would wish you to come up and stay a while—And if you could git Molley to keep House, Salley could come with you—We are now some better settled and begin to live as if residenters of the place—Hitherto our business has been done to the satisfaction of all concerned and we have already made a comms of £10,000, & business increasing.

I am &c

THOMAS RODNEY

## THOMAS RODNEY TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Philada. March 2d. 1781—

Sir

Mr. Pryor intending to set of in the morning have set down to mention some news that came to hand today—The minister of France informed Congress this afternoon That the America a 64 Gun Brittish Ship which having been blown of in late Storm being returned To her station in Guardners bay, & by that means the Brittish having a superiorty to the French fleet at Rhode Island it had been thought necessary to order the squadron back from Virginia which he informed had taken Six prizes one the Romulus of 44 Guns & 500 men and two strong Privateers from New York—By advises also recd. today it appears that Cornwallis had passed the Roanoke River—That Col. Lee Had made an attack on a party of his cavalry and killed 13, & taken 30 prisoners and totally defeated the Party—That Genl. was joined by 1300 Militia & 800 Rifle-men—So that great things probably may be accomplished there in a few days—I have given my attendance all this week in Congress and have had an opertunity of seeing how essential it is for every State To Keep up their representation there—Our State will find it much more to their Interest to give a reasonable allowance as will enable their Delligates to stay here, than to be unrepresented—Upon the Confederation being confirmed New Hampshire & Rhode Island having each but one member therefore became unrepresented, they thought it so essential that they moved Congress to adjourn appointing a Committee of the States to Sit till they could be represented—I do not mention this because I wish them to enable me to stay, but because I think they ought to make it an essential point to be represented and that they may enable others to attend that I may attend my own interest at home for nothing that I would wish them to give would compensate for my staying, yet I think it so necessary for the Interests of the State that I intend to give all the attendance in my power Till they git better supplied—

Yesterday the Confederation was finally ratified and confirmed,—At two oclock we had a Colation at the President of Congreess'—At five I Dined at Mr. McKeans with the President & Vice President and sundry members of assembly of this state and sundry members of Congress & others—Thus you hear this situation is not yet without the flattering inducements of good company & good Living But as have not yet had it in my power to git lodgins to my mind have not yet been waited on by the minister of France whose custom it is to wait on every member of Congress soon as he takes lodging.

As I may often communicate to you many things which ought not to be publick I shall only request that you will always attend to such things as your own judgment points out to be of that nature which may save me the Trouble of particularising them

I am &c.

THOMAS RODNEY

N. B. I am much pleased to find that all your old acquaintances in Congress still profess the warmest Esteem for you My love to Sally and all friends below—

## THOMAS RODNEY TO

Philada. July 10th 1781—

Sir

We recd. a Letter this morning from the commdr. in chief giving an Account of an action near King's Bridge.

He had lay'd a plan for the Duke De Lazon with his legion consisting of 600 Horse to surprise a post of Refugees at Morrisene and Genl. Lincoln to make a Division in his favour moved down the north River with 800 men in boats while Our Army moved down to take advantage of Circumstances—Genl. Roshambeau also moved forward to be ready to support the Legion—Genl. Lincoln Landed near where fort Independance stood about four miles from King's Bridge—and before the Duke arrived at the port of surprize an action Commenced with the Brittish and Genl. Lincoln near Harlam which gave the alarm and the Duke finding himself thus disappointed pushed down to the assistance of Lincoln who endeavored to Draw the Enemy of, so that the Duke might turn their flank But they warraly crossed the Harleam in Boats a party of our Army having cut them of from the Bridge—This gave the Commdr. in Chief & his Chief Engineer Dupartail? an oportunity of approaching so near as to recounitre the Enemies works in that Quarter after which the army retired undisturbed—We had 7. killed & 20 wounded —The French army was to join ours on the 7th—

I am yrs.
THOMAS RODNEY

P. S. Congress has been endeavouring sometime past to elect a new President Mr. Huntington having often applied for leave to go Home on Account of his health and private affairs, and yesterday Mr. Johnson of N. Carolina was appointed but he declined it on account of his bad state of health, and to day Mr. McKean was appointed and prevailed on to serve till October next at which time he is determined to decline serving in Congress any longer—

T. R.

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## SILAS SNOW TO CAESAR RODNEY.

Flat Bush Decemr the 13th. 1779

Dr General

I wrote you a letter Some time ago informing you that those prisoners not taken in Actual Service, Received no part of the Last Continental Supply, of which Maj Hodgson & myself are the only two from the Delaware, you can Redily conceive the Distress we must be in for want of cash, having Recd only twenty five pounds a pees Since we were prisoners Congress have been Addressed upon the Subject, Major Beaty has been wrote too but as no answer has been Recd. from either it Remains uncertain if we Shal Receive any farther Supply from that Quarter, if we Should Not I hope you will Lay our Case before Our Assembly or make use of what means you may think proper to procure us a Suficient Supply to Discharge Our board and provide us Necessaries &c I am Dr. General your Humble Servt &c

SILAS SNOW

## SILAS SNOW TO CAESAR RODNEY

Flat Bush long Island November 8th, 1780

Dear General\

Major Hodgson, and myself have again applyed to Your Excellency & Assembly for releaf, in our present distresses I hope you will not think us troublesome, when you have a particular account of our Sufferings from Captain Moor to whom I refer you and now must beg leave to trouble you with one request more, which is, that you would give a Certificate directed to our Commissary General of prisoners acknowledging me to be a Captain taken in Actual service, provided you (from your knowledge of my services booth before and at the very time of my being taken) should think it just, that I should be considered as in Service, such a Certificate would shortly effect my exchange, and put me on equal ground with Other prisoners, I am happy that I have to make this Request to a person so well acquainted with my services, principals, and conduct. and in whose Justice I have the greatest Confidence I am Dr Sir your

Excellencyes Obedient Humble Servt
SILAS SNOW

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## W. SMALLWOOD TO COLO. D. HALL.

Wilmington April 6th 1778..

Dear Sir/

I have inclosed you copies of the Act of Congress & the President's Letter with a copy of my letter to Governor Rodney which will all point out the Expediency of carrying your orders into Execution, which I now enjoin you to comply with in the most pointed manner, and shou'd the Legislature of this State judge the Act an Infringement of their Internal Police, their application for redress will be to the Power which they Suppose has injured them, as an Officer I cannot with Propriety Mitigate or Suspend the Execution of an Order so express'dly the supreme authority of the United States, my feelings are wide in both Instances but my duty & Honor call upon me in the One Instance to carry the order into Execution in so pointed a light that I can not get over it—add to this I view the Propriety of the Act & the Expediency of carrying it into Execution as a Measure Necessary & Indespensible, for under our present prospects it would be dangerous & Impolitic to Suffer these Men and others of their complection even to be confined in that part of the Country, I view these men not only as Offenders against their own State but against the Continent as men dangerous to the Liberty & Independence of America, in that light congress have ordered them with great propriety to be apprehended—had their Offence been simply against their own State they wou'd have been amenable to no other power, nor do I believe in that Instance Congress would have interposed—I cannot agree with you that Military power exerted under the immediate direction of the supreme Civil authority of the United States is superseded by the Civil power of any particular State. Congress have given similar orders in every state against men of that complection & I have not heard of an attempt to Controvert them only in this Instance—

Tho' at the same time I do not blame you for Suspending the Execution of your orders till you heard from me, as the Suspension was a piece of Politeness due to the Legislature which I make no doubt you had in view

I am with Sincere Regard Your Obedt Hble Servt

W. SMALLWOOD

I have directed a Party of Capt. Lee's
Horse to attend you to escort
the Prisoners here—pray for-
ward the Recruits & such Officers
as are unnecessary to keep longer
on the Recruiting Service.
To Colo. D. Hall

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## NEHEMIAH TILTON TO HIS BROTHER.

Shamany Creek 2 Miles above Bristol, 1776 Decr. 24th 3 Oclock P. M.

Dr Brother

We arrived here Sunday last, and by the time our baggage was in Quarters one of the Phila. Light horse came express for Capn. Rodney, he mounted his horse & rode to Bristol, The Commanding Officer (Colo. Cadwalader) informed him a number of men was to cross the Delaware that night, & desired his company would be ready at 12 OClock. The Capn. informed him we had marched a considerable distance & had no provision cook'd, but would be ready to cross the next evening. The Philadelphia Militia Peraded at 10 OClock that night to the Number of 1200 men & would of cross'd, had not (as I believe) General Washington ordered the contrary, tho' the common Reason is that the commander of the troops in Jersey had desired they should not cross till a few days hence. Our Troops in Jersey was skirmishing with some Hessians all day on Sunday last, yesterday I was in Bristol & Capt. Dean informed me they were then engaged & had been since daylight in the morning,—Two Brigades of Regulars (part of General Lee's Division) is moved from head Quarters near Trentown to this place & the Gundolas is ordered up also which give reason to think the general expects the enemy inclines to move Lower down the river.—Capt. Rodney is now at Bristol should he bring any news will insert it.—We are quartered at two houses, Andrew Allens & ——— Coxe his wifes father; about 200 yards distant from each other—Mrs. Allen & 3 children is with us her husband & two of her Brothers with How: Mrs Allen Mr. & Mrs. Coxe are exceeding kind Mrs. Coxe gave a Turkey & goose to the Company at her house & Mrs. Allen has done the same for Christmas Dinner tomorrow.—The Capt. has a small room to himself at Mrs. Allens & as we have but one bed between us I live with him.—

7 OClock Capt. Rodney Returned & nothing New . . . . . .
I think I have not been so hearty these 7 years past.

I am your Affectionate Brother,

NEHEMIAH TILTON

N. B.

Remember me to Mrs. Hanson an Sussey.

N. T.

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Mr. W. S. Morse, Seaford, Del.

GEORGE WASHINGTON TO .....

Valley forge May 25th 1778.

Dear Sir

If any thing of greater moment, than declaring that every word contained in the Pamphlet you were obliging enough to send me, was spurious, had occured, I should not have suffered your favour of the 6th Inst. to have remained so long unacknowledged.—These letters are written with a great deal of art—the intermixture of so many family circumstances (which by the by wanted foundation in truth) gives an air of plausibility, which renders the villainy greater; as the whole is a contrivance to answer the most diobolical purposes—who the author of them is, I know not; from information, or acquaintance, he must have had some knowledge of the componant parts of my family, but has, most egregiously mistaken facts in several instances; tho' the design of his labours is as clear as the sun in its meridian brightness.

The favourable issue of our negotiations with France is matter for heart felt joy—big with important events—and must, I should think, chalk out a plain and easy road to independance, from which, I hope, we shall not depart from a mistaken opinion on the one hand, that the great work is already finished—or, to finish it, adopt measures of precipitation—That G. Britain would have submitted to any indignity from France, in order to seek her vengence upon America. I have not the smallest doubt, but since the declaration of the King of France through the Marquis de Nouilles they have no choice but war; But how under their present circumstances they will conduct it, is a matter not so easily understood, as all their ways have been ways of darkness—that they will be under a necessity of giving up the continent, or their Islands seems obvious to me, if the accounts we have received of the French force in the West Indies be true—Hallifax and Canada will I presume be strengthened, and if they can afford a garrison sufficient, they may attempt to hold New York, unless every idea of subjugating America is given up, in that case their whole resentment will be leveled at France.

The enemy are making every preparation for, and seem to be upon the point of leaving Philadelphia. In my own judgment, and from many corrisponding circumstances, I am convinced they are bound to New York: whether by land or water whether, as a place of rendezvous, or to operate upon the North river, is not yet clear.—our situation here on account of the sick, and stores, is embarrassing, as I dare not detach largely to harress the enemy in case of a land move through the Jersey's before they have actually crossed the Delaware, and then it will be too late, as their distance to South Amboy. will be much less than ours, and no water to obstruct; to which may also be added the advantage of a days march. while they must gain of us,—were it not for the number of our sick (upwards of 300 in Camp) and security of stores, which are covered by our present position, and strength, I could take such a post in Jersey as would make their passage through that State very difficult and dangerous to them; but the inpracticability of doing this, without exposing this camp to insult and injury, is well known to them, and some part of their conduct justifies a report that at all events they will aim a blow at this army before they go off.

If Congress were fully impressed with the disadvantages, and real injury which the service sustains for want of the regimental regulations the inconvinence to, and dissatisfaction of the officers, on account of the uncertainty they are under

with respect to their continuing, or not, when the reduction of Regiment and officers in each Regiment are made, I think they would not delay from day to day for upwards of three months. a measure which a few hours if heartily set about would accomplish; but I have so often, and so fully represented this matter that I shall give them no further trouble on this head as a body.—happy, I own would it be, if these regulations, and our Military arrangements were made, it would be a means of relieving me from a number of perplexing applications, and the service of much embarrassment

I am Dr. Sir yr most obedt. Servt.

GO. WASHINGTON

P. S. I observed what you say respecting the Recruits, rather draughts, in and from Virginia—I was never called upon by the State for officers, or directed by Congress, to send in any to aid this business, but thinking such a measure might be necessary; I ordered the officers of the disbanded Regiments, and such as had gone to Virginia on furlough to call upon, and receive, the governour's orders, with respect to the marching of them to Camp.—That something has been wrong in conducting the draughts, assembling the men &c, admits of no doubt, for out of the 1500 ordered last fall, and the two thousand this spring, we have received only 1442, which is so horrible a deficiency, that I made a representation thereof to the State—I most sincerely condole with you on the loss of your Brother,

I am as before

G W . . . . . n

## PEACE

### COMMISSION TO RICHARD OSWALD

George the Third, by the grace of God, of Great Britain, France & Ireland, King, Defender of the faith, & so forth—To our trusty & well beloved, Richard Oswald of our City of London, Esquire, Greeting

Whereas by virtue of an Act passed in the las. Session of Parliament, intitled "An Act to enable His majesty to conclude a peace or truce with certain Colonies in North America, therein mentioned" it is recited: That it is essential to the interest, welfare & prosperity of Great Britain & the Colonies or plantations of New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Isalnd, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, the three Lower Counties on Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia in North America, that peace, intercourse, trade & commerce should be restored between them; therefore, & for a full manifestation of our ernest wish and desire, & of that of our Parliament to put an end to the Calamities of War, it is enacted, that it should & might be lawful for us to treat, consult of, agree & conclude with any Commissioner or Commissioners, named or to be named by the said Colonies or Plantations or any of them respectfully, or with any Body or Bodies, corporate or politic, or any Assembly or Assemblies, or Descriptions of men, or any person or persons whatsoever, a peace or a truce with the said Colonies or Plantations or any of them, or any part or parts thereof, any law, Acts or Acts of Parliament matter or thing to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding ;NOW KNOW YE, that We, reposing special Trust in your Wisdom, Loyalty, Diligence & circumspection in the management of the affairs to be hereby committed to your charge, have nominated & appointed, constituted & assigned, & by these presents do nominate & appoint constitute & assign you the said Richard Oswald, to be our Commissioner in that behalf, to use & exercise all and every the powers & authorities hereby entrusted & committed to you, the said Richard Oswald, and to do, perform & execute all other matters & things hereby enjoined & committed to your care, during our Will & pleasure, & no longer, according to the tenor of these our letters patent; & it is our Royal Will & pleasure. & we do hereby authorize, empower and require you, the said Richard Oswald, to treat, consult of & conclude, with any Commissioners or persons vested with equal powers by & on the part of the thirteen United States of America to Wit (New Hampshire, Massachusetts Bay, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, the three Lower Counties on Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina & Georgia in North America) a peace or a truce with the said thirteen United States, any Law, Act or Acts of Parliament, matter or things to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding; and it is our further will & pleasure, that every regulation, provision, matter or thing which shall have been agreed upon between you the said Richard Oswald & such Commissioners or persons as aforesaid, with whom you shall have judged meet & sufficient to enter into such agreement, shall be fully and distinctly Set forth in writing, & authenticated by your hand & seal on one side, & by the hand & seal of such Commissioners or persons on the other, & such instrument so authenticated shall be by you trans-

mitted to us, through one of our principal Secretaries of State, & it is our further will & pleasure, that you the said Richard Oswald, shall promise & engage for us & in our Royal name & word, that every regulation, provision, matter or thing, which may be agreed to & concluded by you, our said Commissioner, shall be ratified & confirmed by us, in the fullest manner & intent, & that we will not suffer them to be violated & counteracted, either in whole or in part, by any person whatsoever;

And we do hereby require & command all our officers, civil & military, & all others our loving Subjects whatsoever, to be aiding & assisting unto you the said Richard Oswald, in the execution of this our Commission, and of the powers & authorities herein contained—

Provided always, & we do hereby declare & ordain that the Several Offices, powers & authorities hereby granted shall cease, determine, & become utterly null & void, on the first day of July, which shall be in the year of our Lord, One thousand Seven hundred & eighty three, altho' we shall not otherwise in the mean time have revoked & determined the same. And whereas in & by our Commission & Letters patent under our great Seal of Great Britain, bearing date the Seventh day of August last, we nominated & appointed, constituted & assigned you, the said Richard Oswald, to be our Commissioner to treat, consult of, agree & conclude with any Commission or Commissioners named or to be named by certain Colonies or Plantations in America, therein Specified, a peace or a truce with the said Colonies or Plantations; NOW KNOW YE, that we have revoked & determined & by these presents do revoke & determine our said Commission & Letters patent, & all & every power article & thing therein contained—In witness whereof we have caused these our Letters to be made Patent.

Witness ourself at Westminster; the twenty-first day of September, in the twenty-second Year of our reign

By the King himself

(Signed) YORKE

Paris, 1st October 1782—I certify that the adjoining is a true Copy of the Commission of which it purports to be a Copy, & which has been Shewn to Mr. Franklin & Mr. Jay

(Signed) RICHARD OSWALD
the Commissioner therein named

Philadelphia, 23rd. December 1782

Sir.

I take the earliest opportunity of advising your Honor, That this Day Congress received Dispatches from their Ministers for Peace at Paris, giving Them the agreeable Intelligence of the British King having granted a plenery Commission, under the great Seal of Great Britain, to Mr. Oswald of London, constituting Him a Commission in his behalf "to make a Peace or Truce with the Thirteen United States of America, Viz. "New Hampshire, Massachusetts Bay &c." This Commission (a certified copy whereof is received by Congress) revokes in express words ONE which was made in August last, empowering Mr.Oswald to treat &c. with the Commission, or Commissioners of the THIRTEEN UNITED COLONIES of America, Messrs Franklin, Jay &c. refused to negotiate with the British Commissioner under any Commission, which did not precisely admit, and recognize the

Independence of America. This Refusal operated so powerfully upon Mr. Oswald That He immediately dispatched a Courier to his Court, and He was soon invested with authority to make the explicit Designation, and acknowledgment of our respective, independent Governments.

Congress has charged the Minister of Foreign Affairs to transmit to the several Executives of the States a Copy of Mr. Oswald's Commission and an Extract from Dr. Franklin's letter. I am not at Liberty Sir to enter into the particulars of the Dispatches received, Congress having for wise purposes enjoined the Members to Secrecy: But your Honor may be assured, That our Affairs in Europe wear a pleasing and most promising Aspect.

I beg leave to subscribe myself
Sir
Your most obedient & faithful
humble Sarvant
SAM'L WHARTON

The Treaty of Amity and Commerce with the Republick of the seven United Provinces of the Netherlands, is finished and signed by the Deputies of them and Mr. Adams

The Honorable John Cooke Esqr. Vice president of the State of
Delaware

Philadelphia 8th. Feb. 1783

Sir.

The Treaty between their High Mightinesses the States General of the United Netherlands and the United States of America, being ratified by Congress, I have the honor of transmitting to your Excellency herewith ten copies of the same for the use of your State.

With pleasure I congratulate your Excellency on this important event; and have the honor to be,

with great respect,
Sir,
Your obedient
ever humbl. Servt.
ELIAS BOUDINOT

His Excellency
The President of Delaware

Office of foreign affairs, Phila.
24th. March 1783

Sir.

I have the honor to enclose an abstract of the preliminary (provisional)Articles for a general peace, Signed the 20th. January 1783—They were brought by a Vessel that arrived last night from Cadiz, dispatched by the Count d'Estaing to recall the cruizers & privateers of his most Christian Majesty and his Subjects—Tho' not official, they leave no room to doubt this happy event on which I Sincerely congratulate your Excellency—

When the wisdom of the United States shall have re-established their credit, & strengthened their bond of union, which will doubtless be the first work of peace,

we shall have every reason to hope that this will be a happy & a flourishing Country.

I have the honor to be, Sir, with great respect,

His Excellency
President Vandyke

Your Excellency's
Most obedient & most humble Sevt.
ROBT. R. LIVINGSTON

## COPY OF THE RATIFICATION OF THE DEFINITIVE TREATY, ON THE PART OF HIS BRITAINIC MAJESTY, EXCHANGED WITH THAT ON THE PART OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA THE 12TH. MAY 1784 AT PASSY

GEORGE the THIRD, by the Grace of God, King of Great Britain, France and Ireland, Defender of the Faith, Duke of Brunswick and Lenunburg, Arch Treasurer and Prince Elector of the holy Roman Empire &c. To all to whom these Presents shall come, GREETING: WHEREAS a Definitive Treaty of Peace and Friendship between Us and our good Friends the United States of America, Vizt. New Hampshire, Massachusetts Bay, Rhode Island and providence plantations, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, was concluded and Signed at Paris on the third day of September last, by the Plenipotentiaries of Us and our said good Friends, duly and respectively authorized for that purpose; which Definitive Treaty is in the Form and words following

(Here follow the Articles)

We having seen and considered the Definitive Treaty aforesaid, have approved, ratified, accepted and confirmed it in all and every one of its Articles and Clauses, as We do by these presents, for Ourself, our heirs & Successors, approve, ratify, accept and confirm the same, engaging and promising upon Our Royal Word, that We will Sincerely and faithfully perform and observe all and Singular the Things which are contained in the aforesaid Treaty, and that we will never Suffer it to be violated by any one, or transgressed in any manner, as far as it lies in our Power. For the greater Testimony and Validity of all which, We have caused our Great Seal of Great Britain to be affixed to these Presents, which we have Signed with our Royal Hand. Given at our Court at St. James's the Ninth day of April One Thoussand Seven hundred and Eighty four, in the twenty Fourth year of our Reign—

(Signed)

GEORGE R—

## COMMITTEE OF THE STATES TO THE PRESIDENT OF DELAWARE

Annapolis August 2d. 1784.

Sir

By order of the United States in the Committee of the States Assembled I have the honor to inform you, that on Exchange of Ratifications of the Definitive Treaty of peace between the United States and his Brittannic Majesty was made on the 12th day of May 1784 at Passy in France by the respective ministers of the Said powers—a copy of that on the part of His Brittanic Majesty as transmitted to Congress, I enclose for your further information—

The Committee of the States offer your Excellency and the Legislature over which you preside their most hearty Congratulations on the happy completion of this important and very interesting business, and pray the Almighty disposer of all events long to continue to these United States the blessings of peace and to have them constantly in his most holy keeping—

I am with perfect respect & regard Sir your Excellency's

Most obedient & most humble Servt.

L. HARDY

His Excellency
The President of the State of Delaware.

## PEACE CELEBRATION

An Account of Sundry Articles furnished by Mr. John Lyons at the Request of the President for and on Account of the Proclamation of Peace at New Castle for the Delaware State the 15th. April 1783.

To wit,

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| To 41 Gallons Maideria Wine | | @ 30/pr | £ | 61.10 0 |
| To 49M Do Port | | @ 10/pr | | 21.17. 6 |
| To 21 Do Rum | | @ 9/pr | | 9.19. 0 |
| To Sugar & Fruit | 120 | | | 6. 0. 0 |
| To 212 Dinners | | @ 1/6 pr | | 13. 8. 0 |
| To Allowance for Truble &c. | | | | 30. 0. 0 |
| | | | | £145.14. 6 |

Errors excepted

JOHN LYON

Sir:

The above Account being stated according to the Terms on which the Articles were furnished by Mr. Lyon, and the Service done, Amount to the Sum of One hundred and forty five Pounds, which Sum please pay him, out of public monies in your hands as State Treasurer

NICH'S. VANDYKE

To

SAMUEL PATTERSON ESQ.
State Treasurer

## PETITION FOR AN ADDITIONAL BILL

To the Honorable the Representatives of the Freemen of the Delaware State in General Assembly met.

The Petition of John Lyon of White Clay Creek Hundred in the County of New Castle,

Humbly showeth, That in the Spring of the year Seventeen hundred and eighty three, your Petitioner then a resident of the Town of New Castle, was applied to by Nicholas VanDyke Esquire then President of the Delaware State & Samuel Patterson Esq., to provide Liquors and other Materials for an Entertainment shortly after intended to be held in the said Town of New Castle in Consequence of the Peace between the King of Great Britain and the United States of America, That the said Entertainment was afterwards had on the fifteenth day of April in the said year, at which time your Petitioner furnished all the Liquor and other Articles requisite therefor, to the amount of two hundred and fifty one Pounds Three shillings and nine pence. That your Petitioner afterwards received One hundred and forty five Pounds fourteen Shillings and six pence, in part of the said sum upon an order drawn by the Sd. Nicholas VanDyke on the said Samuel Patterson Esq. then Treasurer of the Delaware State, but the Balance thereof being One hundred and ten Pounds nine shillings and three pence he has not yet received.

That your Petitioner when first applied to did, and always since has, conceived that the Expense of the said Entertainment was to be defrayed by the Public, the same Entertainment being made, as yr Petitioner understood, principally for the Officers and Soldiers of the Delaware Regiment then stationed in the Town of New Castle—That your Petitioner must sustain very considerable Loss without the Interference of the Legislature in his behalf.

Therefore your Petitioner prays your Honors to take his case into Consideration and grant him Relief in the Premises by devising some Means for the payment of the said Balance of One hundred and ten Pounds Nine shillings and three pence.

And your Petitioner will ever pray &c.

Oct. 22. 1789

We the subscribers, Inhabitants of the County of New Castle, have frequently heard & we do verily believe that Mr. John Lyon the Petitioner in the annexed Petition, did provide the Liquors and other Materials for the Entertainment, in the said Petition mentioned at the Instance of the aforesaid Nicholas VanDyke & Samuel Patterson Esqrs, that the Expenses of the same Entertainment was to be defrayed by the Public as we have always understood. Witness our hands

David Finney
Joseph Tatlow

Oct., 22, 1789

I recollect that in the year 1783 I made one of the company at an entertainment at New Castle which was then said to have been made at the public expense by the then President of the Delaware State, and I have heard that John Lyon the Petitioner provided for the Company those things that were deemed necessary.

George, Read Jun. of New Castle

Thomas Morton
James Delaplain
Jame Moore

I remember I was at New Castle the time above mentioned in the house of John Lyon and in the Evening made some Enquiry to whom I should offer a proportion of the Expense, I was answered by several per- that the Governor & General Patterson had directed matters and the public it was supposed could defray expense.

Tho: McDonough
Wm. Alfree

Arch'd Alexander
John Wethered
Matt'w Pearce
John Stockton will pay his club
Geo. Clay
James Riddle
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